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Matt H. Rothert

This message is written before our dedication ceremonies and it is taken from what I plan to say at that time.

As I unveil this dedication plaque, we acknowledge Dr. Heath's dream of 75 years ago and the American Numismatic Association's dream over the years for a permanent home have finally come true.

I am not a public speaker nor am I a gifted writer. I'm just a hard working businessman who, when elected to the highest office that the American Numismatic Association can convey on a member, went to work to accomplish some of the goals that I thought should be obtained for the organization.

The Houston convention in August, 1965, found a new group of officers and board members meeting together for the first time — and we were ready to work. I appointed 36 new committees for positive action. They went to work at once for the advancement of our organization and the hobby. I recall with pride the work we have done.

The most important decision handed down by the board at the meeting in Richmond, Virginia, late in 1965, was the adoption of a new Organizational Plan. This plan is always kept before us and has contributed immeasurably to the pace with which we have moved along.

We have completed a system of coin registration by photographs and an ownership filing system. We now have this most important service for ANA members starting in our new headquarters today. This will be an enormous help to the collectors of the future, if used properly. John Pittman and Virgil Hancock have done a great deal of work in this area and all of our board members and appointed officers are watching for counterfeits.

Our bourse headaches at the national conventions have been ably handled by Ray Byrne, who has also worked out an excellent new set of bourse rules, among other duties. The ANA Code of Ethics was finalized by Harold Berk. It is now on all of our application blanks and is available in a large copy for framing.

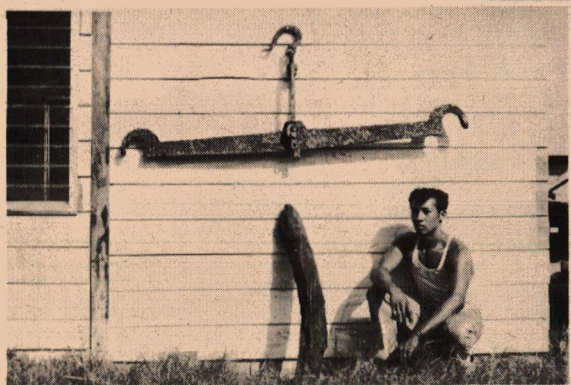
Mrs. Virginia Culver has updated our exhibit rules and ably handled the symposiums on exhibits at our conventions. She has also worked with National Coin Week chairmen.

Grover Criswell and Mrs. Hazel Lindstrom, co-chairman of the "Young Numismatist of the ANA" committee, have done an outstanding job. The ANA now gives them a real program of assistance because they are the collectors of tomorrow. More books were added to our library in the last two years than in any other 2-year period. Charles Johnson is chairman of the library committee and he has been a force behind this program.

We have started an Educational TV Program series, which will consist of 32 different 30 minute programs on all phases of numismatics. John Dunn, John Pittman and many others will work on and contribute to this program.

Your hard working Board has discussed, argued, and voted on from 50 to 75 different motions at every meeting. I give them my vote of thanks now for working with me so wholeheartedly these past two years. I thank all the other ANA members who have assisted us.

Matt Rothert.



history of the coinage of British Honduras

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PART I Introduction

B RITISH Honduras is a small country located in a somewhat forgotten part of Central America bordering the western coast of the Caribbean. In recent years collector interest in the coinage of this country has been much greater than it would appear to deserve. The unusual interest stems in part from the fact that the entire series has been characterized by low mintage — so much so that even a type collection is difficult to assemble. With 28 types struck and a grand total of 100 possible dates issued it is very doubtful that a single uncirculated set of either is in existence.

During the past decade the writer has had numerous occasions to visit this country and acquire numismatic data, some of which appears in this paper for the first time. While personal experience may be useful, a proper study is fundamentally dependent upon historical research and the availability of primary sources. In the case of British Honduras the bulk of this material has been destroyed by a series of natural disasters.

Since British Honduras has been an official part of the British Empire for slightly more than 100 years, and is culturally a part of the English-speaking Caribbean rather than Latin-America, the expert services of Messrs. Dave Hess and Ray Byrne — specialists in these respective fields — have been enlisted in order to make this monograph as complete as possible. Mr. Byrne has graciously assisted in locating select specimens and obscure references. Mr. Hess has been extremely kind to provide specially prepared photographs and enlargements. Neither of these gentlemen, however, is to be held responsible for any possible errors of fact or interpretation that may appear in this study¹.

Previous Work

Significant published material related to the numismatic history of British Honduras has been largely restricted to the routine efforts of well-known cata-

1. Mr. Hess and Mr. Byrne are to receive what credit may accrue, while manifestations of wrath and indignation should be directed to the already battered shoulders of the writer — AKC.

Illustrated above is a typical nineteenth century logwood scale and length of wood.

loguers. It has necessarily been highly repetitious. A few years ago mintage figures were finally released by the Heaton mint from which all official strikings originated. Inclusion of these data in journals and in the works of Wallace² and Eden³ has been a commendable statistical contribution. It has also been a considerable stimulus to speculation although this aspect is fortunately on the wane.

Several generalized accounts by collectors and dealers have also appeared in the trade periodicals of this country. These touristic articles are interesting in that they convey the unique "flavor" of British Honduras. But it would be a distortion of the facts to suggest they offer any special insight into development of the coinage.

Pridmore's article⁴ is something different. It is a classic — and typical of many papers published in our age of expanding numismatic communication. Repercussions of his innocent paper treating the "mutilation" (i.e., counterstamping) of assorted Spanish colonial eight reales coins with "G-R's" both coronate and otherwise, spread far beyond the motives of the author. The first sentence of this paper is a perfect summary — "Many countermarked coins are recorded and attributed to British Colonial possessions for which *no evidence* (Italics mine) exists to support such attribution." Without pausing to reflect on the importance of these words, the remainder of the paper was seized upon by uncritical American numismatists as a happy solution to a nagging problem.

To dealers flushed with the giddy prices paid for counterstamped crown-sized coins, possession of a common run-of-the-mill⁵ Spanish dollar with unattributable punch mark was temptation greater than it was reasonable to expect human probity to bear⁶. To crown collectors pursuing the vicious game of one-upmanship with their colleague-competitors, the startling legalization

by a foreign expert — particularly a *British* authority — of a new⁷ British Honduras counterstamp was the signal for a collecting stampede comparable to the opening of Indian Territory in Oklahoma.

Before continuing any further in this vein I wish to make it abundantly clear that: (1) these comments in no way remotely reflect the attitudes of Mr. Byrne or Mr. Hess; (2) my respect for Mr. Pridmore's other writings — and they are both excellent and extensive — is unbounded; and (3) one of the motives behind the writing of my own paper is admittedly to refute the explanation offered by Pridmore. Since serialization may occur, allow me to divulge in advance the embarrassing fact that there *were no Indians living in British Honduras* upon whom coercion could have been practiced by applying a machete brand-mark to unwanted (?) coins. Hence, Pridmore's suggested attribution begins with a false premise. Let me hasten to add that in my chapter entitled "Speculation: Past and Present" a new, equally unsubstantiated and speculative geographic home will be proposed for these pesky "G-R & crown" counterstamps.

Special Factors

Descriptions of the numismatic history of a country often fail to consider certain peculiar factors of a physical or cultural nature that can have an important effect on the way coinage develops. In British Honduras some of these factors are decidedly unusual.

Hurricanes have repeatedly smashed into the low, swampy coastline, destroying not only lives and property but also the invaluable government records and archives. Many of the answers to questions concerning aspects of the early and late colonial period were lost when these documents were swept away in the great storm of 1931. The battered remains of the official records were again damaged and scattered beyond

2. Wallace, Holland, 1966, *Central American Coinage*, (self-published?), 123 pp.

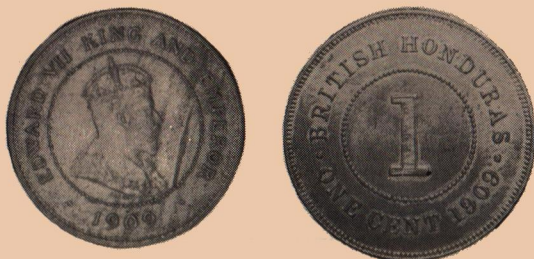
3. Eden, Paul R., 1963, "Mintage Manual for British Honduras," *Numismatic Scrapbook Magazine*, April issue.

4. Pridmore, F., 1963, "Notes on Colonial Coins. British Honduras. The dollar, or dollar size coins, with the countermark GR crowned." in *Spink and Son, Numismatic Circular*, London, June, pp. 117-119.

5. The pun is inadvertent.

6. To say more simply that they fleeced the suckers would be unjustified and uncharitable.

7. — and the use of the word may not be altogether inappropriate.



The famous 1909 large cent, rarest of British Honduras coinage. Less than a dozen specimens have been reported.

recovery by the extremely violent hurricane "Hattie" of 1961. During this latter storm virtually every part of the city of Belize is estimated to have been suddenly flooded by at least 12 feet of salt water. With more than 35% of the total population of the country living in this capital city, it is safe to assume that an even greater percentage of the cumulative coinage was and is located there as well. Under these circumstances it is little wonder that so many of the surviving copper and nickel coins of British Honduras show conspicuous pitting from salt water corrosion.

A tropical climate is probably responsible for one of the most intriguing numismatic mysteries surrounding this country. I refer to the excessively rare provisional banknotes. The existence of this totally unknown scrip is reported here for the first time and is based on newly discovered evidence to be described in Part II of this article. These banknotes were issued by the local government in very limited amounts during the late 19th century. Printed locally on available paper stock, the entire series of several denominations was soon withdrawn from circulation with the exception of a stubborn handful that escaped redemption. It would be very remarkable if even one such specimen has survived the ravages of mildew and fungus that flourish in the hot, humid air of British Honduras.

A little-known and rather weird cultural factor is responsible for the relative scarcity of coins in well-preserved,

undamaged condition. Collectors and dealers who have examined any substantial number of these coins soon realize that a baffling percentage show deliberate mutilation. If these mutilated coins are carefully inspected as a group, it is apparent that someone or something has attacked the obverse monarch's face, with particular attention given to gouging out the eye. To understand this obsession with eyes it is necessary to know that since World War II the country has suffered from chronic unemployment. Unsettled post-war economic conditions left large numbers of unskilled laborers without a dependable means of livelihood. Although conditions have now improved, during the last decade the writer often observed groups of idle workers engaged in the listless pastime of mutilating their few remaining coins. The act was commonly accomplished with a discarded nail and shoe, but the significant elements were the accompanying oaths and magic incantations designed to conjure some form of employment. By venting their wrath and "jukeing-out" eyes from coin images, these unhappy people were sublimating their dissatisfaction with the government they blamed for their troubles⁸.

A final special factor is the geographic and economic isolation of British Honduras that keeps its coinage concentrated almost entirely in the country itself and in constant usage. Any numismatist who has traveled extensively in Latin America is likely aware that

8. In this light, an authentically mutilated coin of British Honduras deserves a special place in collections of counterstamps, hard times tokens, and other similar items. Hopefully no one will place a premium on such coins as counterfeiting would be ridiculously simple!

often the best preserved coins of the older series are found in neighboring countries, particularly in the large frontier towns or capital cities. An extreme example is Panama City where coins from all continents have been left behind by the traffic crossing the isthmus. From the earliest historic times, British Honduras has had little trade with countries other than Great Britain — and lately, the United States. Since the coins have been rarely dispersed outside the borders, there has seldom been any chance for specimens to escape the heavy, grinding usage they receive daily in the markets and small stores. This somewhat unusual situation is reflected in the extremely high prices paid for uncirculated examples of the Victorian and Edwardian series, the majority of which are found in the British Isle where they were probably brought back by retiring civil servants as souvenirs.

The Aboriginal Period

A logical place to begin any history is in the beginning. Unfortunately, logic *per se* seems to be missing in most accounts of so-called "coins" used by the Indians of Middle America. British Honduras was an important part of the Mayan empire during the classic period but for reasons as yet unexplained, the culture collapsed and the area was uninhabited when logwood cutters arrived. But in any case, coinage was one of the few useful manifestations of high civilization that the Maya did not possess. These Indians were inveterate traders and the records make it clear that all business was transacted by barter. Tribute, however, was paid by use of certain luxury items such as cacao (chocolate) beans, bird feathers, and incense. It is completely inaccurate to state that jade in the form of polished beads, small ornaments, etc., ever functioned as a type of coinage. Neither did the Maya practice any form of metallurgy, nor did they produce the famous *tejuelas* (small, spade-shaped tribute "coins" of bronze or copper) found amongst neighboring tribes in Mexico.

As far as British Honduras is concerned, the aboriginal period is a negative one in that it had no effect on subsequent coinage developments. Discus-

sion from this awkward point of view of what was *not* present has been chosen simply to forestall a growing tendency in the trade to bestow authorship of miscellaneous bits of spurious and misidentified junk, including clumsy counterfeits, on unsuspecting aborigines, proclaiming these objects to be "of interesting native manufacture."

Collectors of odd and curious coinage do have a legitimate item available from British Honduras that may be added to their cabinets, but the details of this rather cumbersome form of currency are outlined in the following chapter.

The Logwood Era

Improbable as it may seem, logwood was the first currency of British Honduras. This dyewood was abundant along the swampy northern coastline and was eagerly sought after by the first settlers. They sold it at enormous profit to merchants who forwarded the wood to Europe where it was used in the textile industry of the seventeenth century. Value of logwood during the early period was maintained at a remarkable peak of £100 per ton — equivalent to approximately U. S. \$1,900 in terms of today's equivalent purchasing power.

In point of fact, the wood was bartered; the logwood cutters met with traders at certain places to exchange it for gunpowder, rum, cutlasses, and other necessities of life. From the famous description of this industry by the feckless pirate William Dampier⁹, we discover not only that the wood was used in payment of debts public and private — but that it was also counterfeited! It seems the wood-cutters spent their idle hours stuffing rotten sections with clay, then closed both ends of the hollow trunk with whittled plugs so carefully joined that the deception was very difficult to detect. In anticipation of a swindle (by either party), the logwood cutters accumulated cords of counterfeit wood to "pay off" any merchant captain so tactless as to begin negotiations without the preliminary three-day drinking debauch and firing of ship's cannon. This entertainment was traditionally supplied with compli-

9. See Masefield, John (ed.), 1906, *Dampier's Voyages (1679-1701)*. 2 Vols., E. P. Dutton & Co., New York.

ments of the management; any attempt to add it to the "bill" was considered an insufferable grossness and license to retaliate with fraudulent wood.

There are still some traces of this fascinating era to be found in British Honduras. The lead illustration shows a standard length of logwood and the large wrought iron balance used in weighing; both items were recovered in 1965 from mud flats along the banks of the Belize River.

Colonial Developments

Quick cent betta mo dan slow dollah
—Creole proverb.

With the passing of the boisterous logwood era, the settlement of British Honduras acquired a more permanent aspect so that there were beginnings of legitimate business that required a more conventional form of exchange.

It is not possible to state with precision at what date Jamaica currency became legal tender in the Honduras area but we do know from Burdon's extracts of the archives¹⁰ that it was introduced at some time during the eighteenth century. This Jamaica currency was not equivalent to the pound sterling; instead, it was discounted by 40%¹¹. There are suggestions that it may have circulated in British Honduras largely in the form of scrip, although no such examples seem to have survived. While all manner of English coins from this period are still encountered in occasional hoards found in Belize, I am not aware of a single instance where countermarked Jamaican silver (Act of 1758), has been included in these representative accumulations. This is not surprising. The Jamaican silver, not to mention the gold, would have been jealously guarded by the Spanish Town government already handicapped with the local shortage without being generous to its bothersome Honduran step-children across the sea.

What little hard cash was needed for accommodation of the surviving 200 English Settlers in Belize at the be-

ginning of the nineteenth century was supplied by the motley assortment of numismatic oddments from Europe and a trickle of Spanish silver from neighboring colonies. This Spanish contribution was clandestine. Spain fiercely prohibited any form of trade between its loyal subjects and the British Honduran "Thieves who steal wine (logwood) from our cellar." For many years the Spanish government stubbornly maintained that the Bay of Honduras was irrevocably Spanish and any foreign inhabitants thereof were to be considered common piratical usurpers.

The actual change in status from a vague "settlement" to a proper colony did not take place until 1864. This announcement by the British government was greeted with an overwhelming display of unrestrained distaste by the three neighboring republics of Mexico, Guatemala, and Honduras. It is perhaps for this reason that no attempt was made to commemorate entry into the British Empire by the rubbing of numismatic "salt" into the wounds. Thus an appropriate opportunity to create the first official British Honduras coinage was postponed until 1884 when there was a complete shift in administrative responsibility away from Jamaica.

A characteristic attitude of indifference to uniformity in monetary affairs of the colony was evident in 1863 when advertisements for the purchase of Treasury Bills in the amount of £1000 Sterling stated payment could be made in "British Gold and Silver Coin, American Eagles and dollars, or in South American Doubloons..."¹². This democratic view of legal tender continued into the 1870s¹³ and was not abolished until the coinage acts of 1893 and '94. In the meantime, postal rates were charged in shillings and pence while across the street customs officers calculated and collected rates in U. S. dollars¹⁴.

Since there never has been an overabundance of coins in British Honduras, one peculiar aspect of the late colonial period is important and worth mention-

10. Burdon, John A., 1931, *Archives of British Honduras*. 3 Vols., London, Sifton Praed & Co., Ltd.

11. This is contrary to Pridmore's suggestion (p. 119) that Jamaica Currency was passed at par with the pound sterling.

12. See *British Honduras Gazette*, 1863, p. 426.

13. See *British Honduras Gazette*, 1870, p. 122.

14. See *British Honduras Gazette*, 1863, p. 485.

ing. The Shipping Intelligence section of the *Gazette* records a suspicious amount of "specie" being exported to various countries, particularly the United States. Of the larger commercial firms that indulged in this practice J. Jex & Co. was the most persistent with C. Melhado, a close competitor. The Hon. Henry Melhado, son of the founder, has given me the following explanation: silver pesos, soles, and other assorted dollar-sized Latin American coins were continually received by the merchants of Belize in payment for British goods smuggled into these new republics by various routes. Prices were adjusted in such a way that the coins were accepted at their *intrinsic* value only; when sufficient amounts were on hand they were dispatched to New Orleans for melting and sale as bullion to A. S. Lascelles & Co.¹⁵. Traffic of this nature was legally forbidden by local ordinance, hence the business firms resorted to certain stratagems that display their resourcefulness but are sure to confound future economists researching these records. C. Melhado & Co. favored the importation of enormous quantities of coffee (at a time when the market was glutted) with one bag in five specially marked to notify the chief clerk that it contained a special "bean" of 500 silver pesos. As their

warehouses began to fill with the unwanted coffee, competitors snickered that the founder had finally made a foolish purchase. During the chicle boom when quantities of chewing gum base were imported from neighboring areas of Guatemala, funds were transferred by stuffing silver into the large balls of coagulated tree sap. During this period, C. Melhado & Co. owned more than 500 mules which were constantly employed in hauling the chicle (and silver!) along the difficult overland routes.

Having mentioned chicle, it may not be remiss to note this industry was responsible for the introduction of considerable U. S. gold coin into British Honduras. As a young man visiting the rough border town of El Cayo, Sir Arthur Wolffsohn informed me that the streets were full of "spreeing" chicleros, "pot valiant" and spending their hard-earned gold on frivolous luxuries both solid and liquid. This brief period of prosperity accounts for the quantities of double eagles still to be found in El Cayo and perhaps explains the presence of a magnificent 1849-D Open Wreath gold dollar that was collected there in 1965 (unfortunately, not by the writer!).

(To Be Continued)

15. This bullion price was subject to fluctuations but a typical exchange quote is contained in the Belize Newspaper *The Clarion* (July 28th, 1904): Mexican peso 45½c., Sols (sic) 40c, etc. The same issue tells us the S. S. Anselm left bound for New Orleans carrying "1 cage parrots, \$661 sols (sic), \$4000 Mexican."

Official United States Mint Report

Coins Dated 1967 — Through April

Denomination	Prev. Total	April Production	Year Total
Half-dollars	97,260,000	30,858,000	128,118,000
Quarter-dollars	352,684,000	208,980,000	561,664,000
Dimes	1,104,540,000	219,880,000	1,324,420,000
Five-cent pieces	48,573,380	—	48,573,380
One-cent pieces	491,750,000	227,185,000	718,935,000
Special Coin Sets	37,001	260,010	297,011

Coinage Executed for Foreign Governments at San Francisco

Country	Denomination	Prev. Total	April Prod.	Year Total
Philippines	Peso	12,000	88,000	100,000

Note: Total coinage for Panama during January 1967 (amended figures):

1/2 balboa	1,000,000 pieces
1/10 balboa	1,000,000 pieces
Total	2,000,000 pieces

Counterstamped and Countermarked

American Silver Coins

and Their Use as Advertising

BY MAURICE M. GOULD, LM-144

IN my almost fifty years of association with numismatics and having covered almost every field, from exonumist to die-variety collecting, I still find the most fascinating to be the collecting and research of counterstamped coins.

In 1947, I wrote my first article on this series for *The Numismatist*, and a decade later, in 1957, I again wrote on the same series, adding whatever knowledge I had accumulated over this period. Now, twenty years later, I am writing this article on a different phase of counterstamps, proving my consistency in never wavering from the research in this field.

The original article in *The Numismatist* embraced counterstamped large cents and I am pleased to see other writers and researchers, such as Ken Hallenbeck and Alfred D. Hoch working on this series.

Coins were counterstamped or countermarked for three basic reasons —

(1) To indicate official sanction or adoption as legal specie which passed current as money (mostly in the West Indies and South America)

(2) For advertising, symbolic or utilitarian purposes for merchants, fraternal organizations, political campaigns, admission requirements, etc.

(3) For personal, random or testing purposes such as those initialled by individuals or used for the testing of silversmith punches, etc.

This article will cover the silver U. S. coins, which were counterstamped as an advertising medium.

Regarding the terms "countermarked" and "counterstamped" Howard Gibbs, one of the world's most noted authorities in this field, says, "personally, I use the classification 'counterstamps' only when the design is from a prepared die or stamp. When a coin

simply has a number of letters, name, numbers stamped on with a set of letters or numbers, I classify these as 'stamped with'."

I personally use the word "counterstamp" on almost all of these pieces as I have found in talking to the collector, whether novice or advanced, that the accepted term for the series being discussed is "counterstamp."

The English use the term "countermark," signifying the same markings that we would call "counterstamp."

Evidence points to the fact that counterstamping, to a large degree, was done by the die sinkers, engravers and stencil cutters of the early period. Orders were placed for a quantity of counterstamped coins in certain denominations by a merchant or company and the order was then manufactured by the die sinker.

Of some mystery and interest are the pieces which sometimes have two or three names and advertising on one piece, such as the U. S. fifty cent piece of 1873 with the triple counterstamp — Bradley & Smith, Brushes, N. Y.; Tiffany & Co., N. Y.; Asbury Park, N. J. Perhaps an employee of the manufacturer had a great sense of humor or an excess amount of advertising was placed on one coin.

Some individuals and companies probably ordered dies and then, in their spare time, counterstamped their own coins at their leisure.

Among the manufacturers could be listed the following:

1. E.B. (Ephraim Brasher), whose famed initials are known on an

early U. S. silver dollar, on the Brasher doubloon, and other very rare pieces—America's renowned jeweler and goldsmith in the Colonial period.

2. *James Cochran*, a bell founder, ingenious mechanic. He is said to have made the first cent coined in the United States.
3. *Richard Trested*, engraver, stamper, die sinker.
4. *Smith & Seward*, manufacturers of medals, coins, badges.
5. *F. B. Smith & Hartmann*, medal and general die sinkers and engravers.
6. *James G. Moffet*, brass founder.
7. *Wm. & John Mott* of New York City, who struck the famous Mott Token, one of the first tradesman's tokens issued in America.
8. *R. Lovett*, medallist. Other Lovetts in the same family were also engravers and die sinkers.
9. *Charles D. Horter*, die sinker.
10. *J. A. Bolen* of Springfield, Mass. The famed stamp cutter and die sinker and also well known numismatist.
11. *Joseph H. Merriam*, die cutter, also of Massachusetts.
12. *U. S. Manufacturing Company*, steel stamps, stencils, of Baltimore, Maryland.
13. *Dorman's*, stencil and stamps.
14. *S. D. Childs and Company*, die sinker and engraver, Chicago, Illinois.
15. *Benedict & Burnham*, manufacturers of gilt buttons, etc., Waterbury, Connecticut.
16. *J. M. L. Scovill & W. H. Scovill*, manufacturers of naval military crests, military buttons, etc., Waterbury, Connecticut.

It is entirely possible that counter-stamped coins were struck by manufacturing jewelers, as well as by silver-

smiths, with dies either prepared by them or furnished to them. This area of research has many facets which I am sure will be explored in the future.

For the first time I am listing the silver counterstamps in alphabetical order and then the denomination and type of coin on which it was found. I believe it is superfluous to add the dates, mintmarks, etc., as in many cases, with older coins which have been in circulation, the date and legend have become completely worn or partially obliterated.

It is extremely difficult to give the rarity of these pieces as I consider them all rare to Unique. However, the pieces you will find marked with the letter "C" are the ones of which there are at least a dozen known, which have been seen by me personally or compiled from numismatic records.

As more counterstamps come out of hiding and are catalogued, the rarity will be more easily determined.

Collecting U. S. counterstamps represents just about the epitome of numismatics and covers the wide range of the economic development and history of our country. The advertisements of doctors, artists, tickets to theatrical shows, patent medicines, businesses now extinct, etc., trace the patterns and trends of the times.

The field of counterstamps, with the tremendous amount of research still to be done, presents a challenge to the many collector-detectives who are looking for new fields to conquer.

Having covered the gamut of all phases of numismatics in almost fifty years, I have still found this to be the number one series for which I have the most affection. A national group of specialists in this field are now in the process of being formed into a research unit.

ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF COUNTERSTAMPS ON AMERICAN SILVER COINS

1. Dr. W. H. Allen's Sweet Worm Wafers (Use), Youngstown, Ohio, price \$1.00; sold by all druggists (liberty seated quarter).
2. Ayer (bust type dime).
3. G. L. Bailey, Portland; also stamped with the impression of a flintlock pistol (Gilbert L. Bailey was a well known Portland, Maine, sporting goods dealer who was in business from about the time of the Civil War to the early 1900s) (bust half dollar).
4. Balch, Artist, Joliet, Ill. (liberty seated quarter).



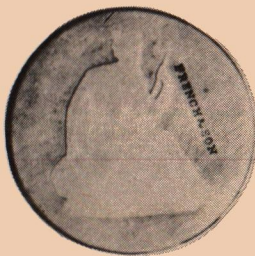
5. H. A. Balch, Artist (liberty seated quarter).
6. J. L. Barnes Saloon, Bryan, Texas (liberty seated quarter).
7. Blanchard House, Monmouth, Ill. (liberty seated quarter).
8. Bean & Co., House Furnishing Goods (liberty seated dime).
9. Jas. S. Bradley, Gilder and Framemaker, 154 Williams St., N. Y. (on quarters before 1815).
10. Bradley & Smith, Brushes, N. Y. (liberty seated half dollar).
11. E. B. on 1799 dollar. This UNIQUE piece is listed in the Bolender Silver Dollar book and is one of the genuine counterstamps of the famous Ephraim Brasher.
12. E. E. Child's Jr. 16 Chapman Place (bust half dollar).



13. China Tea Co., Bangor, Maine, (liberty seated quarter); "C" (liberty seated half dollar).
14. Columbia & Shamrock, rev. 10 sense (liberty seated dime).



15. Try Corey's Ointment (liberty seated quarter).
16. James B. Darling, Chicago, Ill. (liberty seated quarter).
17. G. N. Desmond, Gorham, N. H. (liberty seated quarter).
18. Dunning & Brew (Morgan type dollar).
19. E. G. & S. M. Company, in curved small counterstamp (liberty seated silver dollar).
20. Feigenspan's Lager (Drink Feigenspan's Lager) (liberty seated half dollar).
21. R. L. Fraser, Jeweler, Lawrence, KT (liberty seated quarter).



22. French & Son, obv. and rev. (liberty seated half dollar).



23. Use G. G. G. (liberty seated dime), (liberty seated quarter), (liberty seated half dime). (Goddard's Goose Grease) "C".
24. Use G. G. G. and G. G. G. G. (liberty seated quarter), (bust half dollar). "C". (Goddard's Goose Grease or Goddard's Great Goose Grease).
25. G. S. Gates, Rutland, Mass. (liberty seated quarter).
26. Chas. W. Geekie (No.) (on quarters before 1815).



27. Moses Hale, Ambrotype (liberty seated quarter).



28. Thomas Hobron, Hawaiian token listed in the Gould catalog of Hawaiian Coins and Tokens; rev. T.H.H. 12½¢, obv. R.R. 1879 (liberty seated half dollar) UNIQUE.
29. Houck's Panacea, Baltimore (early dollar before 1796), (bust half dollar), (early U. S. quarter before 1807). "C".
30. Howard & Davis, Boston, on obv.; L.Y. on rev. (quarters 1815-28).



31. J. E. Hudson, Prov. R.I. on obv. and rev. (liberty seated quarter).
32. A. Indian, Phila. South, Work, Red Big, Remember the Indian on the Warpath, Pittsburgh, Pa. (lib. seated quarter).



33. John H. Jenkins, Silver Grove (liberty seated half dollar).
34. Str. Jewel (The Steamer Jewel was a coastwise craft running from Portland, Maine to Gardner and also to Nova Scotia about 1900), (liberty seated quarter).
35. H. Jones, Patent (on early dollars before 1798).
36. Dr. Kirstead, Dentist, Boston, (bust type half dollar).
37. Knight's Mineral Water Saloon, 99 Balto St. (liberty seated quarter).
38. Knight's Mineral Saloon (liberty seated quarter).
39. A. S. Law, Medford, Mass. (liberty seated half dollar).
40. Lovett's Private Stock Whiskey (liberty seated quarter), (Morgan dollar).
41. N. P. McKean, Nashua, New Hampshire (silver dollar before 1800).
42. McKenney — Gunsmith, Biddeford, Maine (bust type half dollar).
43. Miller House (liberty seated quarter).
44. Model Artists Exhibition (admit to the Model Artists, 127 Grand St. near B'wy, very rare), (on quarters before 1815).



45. J. J. Outley, Artist (liberty seated quarter).
46. W. Packard, Elyria, Ohio (liberty seated half dollar).
47. Parisian Varieties, 16th St. and Broadway, New York (liberty seated half dollar), (bust half dollar), (trade dollar).
48. Philadelphia on obv.; rev. Warranted (bust half dollar).
49. G. Pine, State St., Trenton (liberty seated quarter).
50. J. J. Polhemus, Druggist, 190 J St. Cor. 7th (liberty seated dollar), (liberty seated quarter).
51. Rathburn House (liberty seated quarter).
52. Richardson (Charles H.), Baton Rouge, La. (liberty seated dollar).
53. Sagada Hockhouse (liberty seated half dollar).



54. Sage's Candy Coin (liberty seated quarter), (liberty seated half dollar), (trade dollar). "C".
55. W. Scott, in oblong serrated frame (Wm. D. Scott, Silversmith, Louisville, Ky. 1841-49), (liberty seated half dollar).

56. O. P. Shattuck, Smoke O. P. Shattuck Cigars (liberty seated dollar).
57. Dr. Shattuck's Water Cure, Waterford, Maine (liberty seated quarter), (liberty seated half dollar).
58. Shelton's, Lexington, Kentucky (liberty seated quarter).
59. Slater for Drugs (liberty seated half dollar).
60. E. Smet. Mont. (liberty seated quarter).
61. C. C. Smith & Co. (liberty seated half dollar).
62. Smith & Gemrig (liberty seated dime).
63. Smith & Grant (bust half dollar).
64. Sprague & Blodgett's, Admit one, Georgia Minstrels (liberty seated half dollar).
65. Stone & Ball, Syracuse, N. Y. (liberty seated quarter), (early quarters in early 1820's), (bust type quarter). "C".
66. J. M. Taylor, Broker, Brooklyn, L. I. (liberty seated quarter).



67. J. M. Taylor, Broker, Chatham St. Cor. James N. Y. (liberty seated quarter). "C".
68. Robert Turner & Son, rev. Baltimore (liberty seated dollar).
69. We Recommend Walatin's Bitters (liberty seated half dollar).
70. A. Ward (liberty seated quarter).
71. George Wilder with eagle in center (liberty seated dime).
72. Wilder House (liberty seated quarter).



73. Dr. G. G. Wilkins (3¢ silver), (bust half dollar). "C".
74. Admit to Wood's Minstrels, 144 Bdway (very rare 1796 quarter).
75. Yankee Blade (liberty seated quarter).
76. Yankee Robinson's — Free Ticket to Yankee Robinson's Quadruple Show (liberty seated half dollar), (liberty seated quarter).
77. Tiffany & Co. N. Y.; Bradley & Smith, Brushes, N. Y.; Asbury Park, N. J. (this is one of the most unusual of all the pieces as it has three different counterstamps on a liberty seated half dollar).
78. Viva el Coco. This unusual piece was counterstamped in Puerto Rico to publicize the cocoanut and is quite rare. (Barber half dollar).

I have many more U. S. silver coins with just the names and initials of individuals, etc. which I could not trace and if any information is obtained on these pieces in the future, they will also be listed.

It was quite common, between 1860 and 1880, to mark one's name or initials on U. S. coins; in fact, the copper coins with counterstamps probably run twenty to one as they had a small face value.

COUNTERSTAMPED SPANISH-AMERICAN SILVER COINS

This group of pieces should definitely be included in this article as they passed as legal tender until 1857.

From the number of counterstamps found on mostly the Spanish Colonial

pieces, it can be seen how readily they were accepted in the Colonies.

The non-advertising counterstamps, which were used in the West Indies, have been described and listed by How-

land Wood, Gutttag, and other researchers.

In this series the 2 reales are the most common, while all the other denominations are quite rare. It is still possible to pick up a 2 reale piece in a dealer's junk box or as an oddity in someone's collection, not knowing the true significance of these items.

A great deal of research is still needed in this field, as very few listings of any kind have been made in the past in the advertising series.

These listings are the largest compilation to date and every source possible has been used, from the listings of individual collections, to those in museums and previous listings in numis-

matic publications. Many more pieces will come to light and this series will probably never be a completely closed book.

Another field which we hope to compile for a future article is that of the silversmiths' marks on the silver coins. Q. David Bowers, Ken Hallenbeck and I have done some research in the past, mainly centered on the U. S. large cent series, and David Lee of Pasadena, California, has been working on the silver pieces. It will be a most interesting and informative addition to the counter-stamped field.

As all of the pieces in this listing are Spanish-American silver, mostly Mexico Mint, only the denominations will be mentioned.

79. Wm. Avery. Avery was a silversmith in Preston, Conn. (2 reales).



80. C. M. Berry Saloon, N.W.C. 5th & Chestnut Phila. (2 reales).
81. L. L. Bevan, Eating Saloon, Pottsville, Pa. (4 reales).
82. Blanchard House, Monmouth, Ill. (2 reales).
83. O. & P. Boutwell, 7 Grand Division St., Troy, N. Y. Unique, Low No. 174. (2 reales).
84. A. S. S. Bradley, 1780, Fine Pictures, Cheapest in the City. Gilder & Framemaker & Mirrors, 154 Wm. St. N. Y. (2 reales).
85. James S. Bradley, N. Y. (2 reales).
86. Jas. S. Bradley, Gilder & Framemaker, 155 W. St. N. Y. Cheapest in the City. (2 reales).
87. J. Chinery, Diecutter, 205 Wm. St. N. Y. (3 lines), (1 reale).
88. Geo. Christy and Wood's Minstrels, 444 Bdway, N. Y. (2 reales).



89. Consult Dr. Darby, Boston. (4 reales), (2 reales).
90. Obv. Consult Dr. Darby, Boston; and Good for a Bottle of Pierce's Rosetta Hair Tonic; rev. Consult Dr. Darby (Gould collection), (2 reales).
91. Henry Disston (Philadelphia Eagle). (2 reales).
92. C. C. Dyer, (2 reales), (1 reale).

93. Ebling's Columbian, Garden, 200, Bowery, N. Y. (2 reales).
94. Fitch's, counterstamped three times. (2 reales).
95. R. Flanagan's Punch, 112 No. 6th St. pillar type (punchbowl in center). (2 reales).
96. Guarantee Development Co. No. Beachhaven, New Jersey, 1722, extra rare. This piece is listed by Adams. Research has led us to believe the reverse die is merely a copy of a 2 reales piece.
97. Houck's Panacea, Baltimore. (2 reales).
98. P. Huffman, Warsaw, Indiana. (Mexican 8 reales).



99. Hutchings, 385 B'way, N. Y. (2 reales).
100. Jones Exchange Hotel, 77 Dock St. incused (Pennsylvania). (2 reales).



101. J. T. Jones, San Franco. Cor. Montg. & Commercial St. in circle. (2 reales).
102. Use Dr. Kidder's Family Pills (in circle). (1 reale).
103. Dr. Kimball, Dentist, Boston. (1 reale), (2 reales).
104. Ambrotype by Knecht. Knecht was an itinerant wet plate photographer from Allentown, Pa. (2 reales).
105. Knight's Mineral Water Saloon, 99 Baltimore St. (2 reales).
106. Kunkel's Opera Troupe (Baltimore, 3 lines). (2 reales). (1 reale) comes in 2 varieties with 2 lines or 3 lines. George J. Kunkel was one of the first delineators of negro minstrelsy in the U. S. and during his theatrical career was identified with three historic theatres in Baltimore. John Wilkes Booth and Joe Jefferson were in his company.
107. R. Lundy, Iron Awning Framemaker, 172 Chamber St. (2 reales).
108. Merchutt's Metropolitan Coffee Room. Rm. 433, BD. very rare (2 reales).
109. Mexican Dime Hotel. (2 reales).
110. Use Miller's Hair Invigorator, 295 Bowery, N. Y. This counterstamp or a similar one is found on many coins. (2 reales), (1 reale).
111. L. Miller Hair Invigorator. (2 reales).
112. Model Artist Exhibition. Admit to the Model Artists, 127 Grand, near B'way, very rare. (2 reales).
113. New England House, struck twice on obverse, on 1818 counterfeit. (8 reales).
114. R. Paine, Springfield. (1 reale).
115. Parisian Varieties, 16th St. & Brdwy, N. Y. (2 reales).
116. Good for a Bottle of Pierce's Rosetta Hair Tonic. (2 reales).
117. J. L. Polhemus, Druggist, 190 J St. Cor. 7th (Sacramento, Calif.). (8 reales), (4 reales).
118. R. Quimby, 385 Broadway. (2 reales).
119. Sachem Oyster Saloon, 273 Bowery, extra rare. (2 reales).
120. E. F. Sise & Co. The dies were used on a Spanish ½ reale showing only a portion of the lettering. UNIQUE. (Portsmouth, N. H. Low No. 132).
121. Smith's Hotel, New Brunswick, New Jersey. (2 lines), (2 reales).
122. Stoddart's Family Dry Goods Stores, 270, 280 & 282 Nth 2nd St., Phila. (2 reales).
123. Stoltz's Segar Store, Phila., Pa. (2 reales).



124. Stone & Ball, Syracuse, N. Y. (1 reale), (2 reales).
125. J. M. Taylor, Broker, Chatham St. Cor. James. (2 reales).
126. J. M. Taylor, Brooklyn, L. I. (2 reales).
127. C. C. Tracy, Sawfiler, N. Y. (2 reales).
128. Admit to Wood's Minstrels, 444 Bdwy. N. Y. (6 lines), (2 reales) possibly 144 Bdway, which was reported by Duffield and Fuld. The difference in these two numbers may possibly be due to wear on the items.
129. Wyman, Wizard and Ventriloquist. (2 reales).
130. Young the Magician. (2 reales).

This article will not deal with U. S. merchant counterstamps on foreign coins and they will make an interesting series in themselves. A few known examples are as follows:

H. H. Pierson, Dentist, on 1827 five-franc French Crown.

J. L. Polhemus, Republic of Milan, Leopold 2nd, 1791, 1 lira.

S. M. P. Rouse, 1197 Wash. St., Boston, 1814 Prussian Taler.

It is hoped that a listing will be published in the near future.

My thanks to the following well-known numismatists and researchers for their assistance —

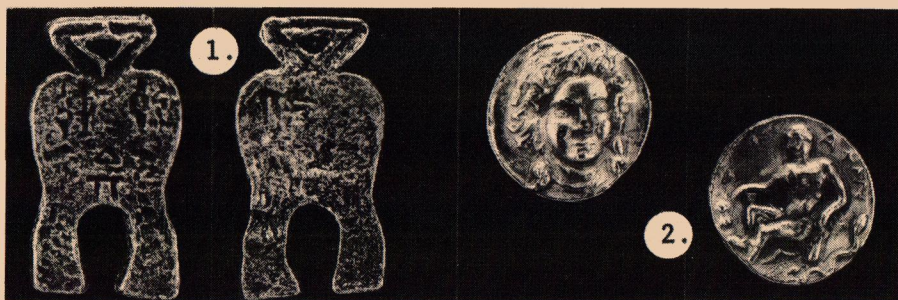
Ralph Goldstone; Charles McSorley; John Reynolds; Paul Seitz; Virginia Culver; James G. Johnson; Alfred D. Hoch; Kenneth Hallenbeck. Also, a special thank you to David E. Lee for his suggestions and listing of die sinkers and engravers.

This field will never cease to fascinate me and anticipate writing about the same series in 1977.

FRENCH MINT HONORS FAMOUS SURGEON



Ambroise Pare, 1510-90, was one of the most illustrious figures in the history of surgery. A military surgeon at the time gunpowder was revolutionizing warfare, his discoveries revealed in his book, *Method of Treating Wounds*, became the standard of most surgeons in the European armies. The medal was designed by Marcel Chauvenet, the obverse portrays the great surgeon; the reverse shows a modern surgery scene with sort of a patient's eye view of doctors bending over an operating table. Struck by the French Mint, 11 quai de Conti, Paris VI, France, in 63 mm. size, it is available in bronze for \$4.60; in silver, \$20.00.



Do you have the original?

FEATURING FAKES

VIRGIL HANCOCK, ANA No. 43616

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"Oh, East is East, and West is West, and never the twain shall meet" . . . except somewhere in the USA in some *mint* which is spewing out these fakes by the hundreds of thousands!

You see, above, what purports to be a replica of a "pu" copper coin (1) of China, and a replica of a silver coin (2) of Croton, a Greek colony on the southern tip of Italy. The originals, from which these fakes are supposed to have been copied, are said to have been minted about 500 B.C. (The Chinese piece actually is a fake of a fake.)

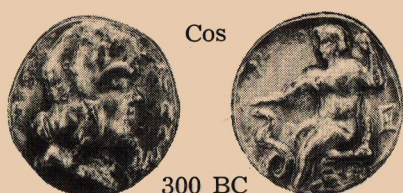
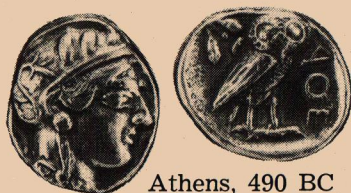
Except for the alleged Chinese copper piece, all the specimens shown on these two pages are of a base metal which so closely resembles silver that the not-too-experienced collector often has mistaken it for silver.

These pieces are manufactured and sold to advertising agencies for use as attention-getters in direct-mail sales campaigns. They are sold as replicas. In most of the sales-letters they are stated to be replicas. Neither the manufacturer nor the advertising agency has any intent to defraud.

The danger to the collector arises when the recipient of the sales-letter (to which letter is affixed one of these silver-like replicas) gives the "coin" to some numismatically inexperienced person. After the "coin" has passed through two or three hands, some innocent lad now feels he's acquired a genuine coin.

You may hear some experienced collector pooh-pooh that statement, claiming, "Those fakes wouldn't fool anyone!" To all such pooh-poohers, I hereby offer to bet hard cash that one or more of these fakes can be sold . . . as genuine . . . to even some coin-dealers. Wanta bet?

Note: Pictures of dangerous replicas of American Colonial . . . and my solution to this problem . . . will be continued in our August issue.





Babylon, 331 BC



Pergamum, 186 BC



Marc Antony, 31 BC



Shekel of
Tyre, 126 BC



Dirhem of
Baghdad

Haroun-al-Raschid
736-809 AD



Nero, 54 AD,
tetradrachm
of Antioch.



Boehmnd VII,
Prince of Antioch,
1274-1287 AD.



México, 8 reales, 1780 AD.



A close-up shows the hands of Donald R. Heath as he explains the operation of his father's press. On the bed of the press is an 1889 issue of *The Numismatist*. At the right, Don Heath demonstrates the printing process of the old hand operated press which has seen service from 1888 to date.

FOUNDER'S SON DONATES 'NUMISMATIST' PRESS

THE printing press used by ANA founder Dr. George F. Heath to print the first six volumes of *The Numismatist*, was recently presented to the American Numismatic Association by his son, Donald R. Heath, in a brief May 5 afternoon ceremony in Detroit, Michigan. The press and other memorabilia are slated for permanent display in the new ANA home and headquarters building in Colorado Springs.

On hand to accept the gift for the association were: Charles R. Hoskins, ANA curator of medals and director of National Bank of Detroit's Money Museum; and George D. Hatie, ANA legal counsel and prominent Detroit attorney. The press, still in perfect order, was frequently in use from 1888 until Dr. Heath's death in 1908. More recently it has remained with his son. It was used in April 1967, to print tickets for the Detroit Coin Club's 1000th meeting held on June 1, and in May to print a car-reproduction of the first issue of *The Numismatist* which was given to visitors at the dedication ceremonies of the ANA headquarters building on June 10.

It was from this sturdy device in February, 1891, that Dr. Heath queried his readers with the words that created the largest numismatic organization in existence. Almost casually, he asked,

"What is the matter with having an American Numismatic Association? There is nothing like the alliance of kindred pursuits to stimulate growth and interest." A flurry of letters from eager collectors all over the country gave encouragement to the idea until on October 7, 1891, six men met in Chicago and founded the American Numismatic Association with 61 charter members.

From 1888 to 1894, this unobtrusive printing press produced the association's official journal, now a publication of ever increasing value to the membership's more than 25,000 subscribers. Dedicated numismatists have watched their publication grow from the four-page, Vol. 1, No. 1 issue to the most recent issue of Vol. 80 containing 144 pages.

Remarking about his own experiences with the press, donor Don Heath said: "Whenever I wanted to use the press for my own purposes, I had occasionally to first finish up my father's work. He kept the press in his office in Monroe, Michigan, and I used it to print up a school paper as an amateur journalist.

The press is none the worse for the use it has had and is probably the most significant historical donation to the American Numismatic Association in this century. — THOMAS W. BECKER

A Story on Mintmarks

BY EVA B. ADAMS, DIRECTOR, UNITED STATES MINT

I APPRECIATE the opportunity to appear in support of S. 1008, a bill which would repeal the prohibition against mintmarks on coins of the United States.

The proposed legislation would repeal the last sentence of Section 3517 of the Revised Statutes (31 U.S.C. 324), which prohibits the inscribing of mintmarks on any coins during the five-year period beginning on July 23, 1965, except coins struck at the Denver Mint as authorized by law prior to such date. This prohibition, which was enacted by Congress as part of the Coinage Act of 1965 (Public Law 89-81), was not a part of the Administration's proposals on the coinage but was added as an amendment by the Congress. As a result of this legislation, none of the 12.4 billion coins struck bearing the 1965, 1966, and 1967 dates bear any indication as to the mint where they were struck.

The repeal of the prohibition against mintmarks would restore to the Treasury Department discretionary authority which has been exercised for more than a century to place mintmarks on coins when it is deemed to be in the public interest. The annual dating, which has now been resumed on a normal basis, and the mintmarking of coins are essential means of controlling and identifying the output of each of our coinage mints.

The use of mintmarks was adopted pursuant to the Act of March 3, 1835, which established the first branch mints of the United States. The Act provided that the Director of the Mint should prescribe regulations for discriminating the coins stamped at each branch and

at the parent mint, itself. This provision was the result of a recommendation by the Director concerning the central control of the coinage so that a coin emitted from any branch of the establishment would be exactly standard. The use of the mintmark also insured recognition of the mint of issue when coins were received in circulation or returned to the mint. Thus, the responsibility for the coinage was established.

When the coinage laws of the United States were codified into the Coinage Act of February 12, 1873, all references to mintmarks were dropped. It then became discretionary on the part of the Director of the Mint as to whether they should, or should not be used. Except for the Philadelphia or parent mint coinage (which only carried a mintmark on the World War II silver five-cent piece), all of my predecessors as Directors of the Mint deemed it necessary to continue the inscriptions of the mintmark on the coinages of all the other mints. Accordingly, it was inscribed on all of our coinage—that is, until 1965.

The United States use of the mintmark was based on the long established practice of foreign governments having more than one mint establishment; for example, at the time of the establishment of the United States' Branch Mints in 1835, the French Government had ten Mints. The coinage of the several mints in the French system was distinguished by a letter of the alphabet assigned to each, and reserved pieces of coin were forwarded to a central commission periodically for an examination.

We have a similar system in the

Editor's Note: In May hearings were held before the Senate Banking and Currency Committee relative to restoring mintmarks to coins. In support of the proposal, Miss Eva Adams, director of the United States Mint testified. Her statement is reprinted here in its entirety since the historical sentiment concerning mintmarks makes educational and interesting reading.

United States today for examining and testing the output of each of our coinage mints. In fact, this system itself derives from an act of 1792 which provided for the coinage to be examined by a special commission. Each year the President, himself, names public members who, together with statutory officials, meet at Philadelphia. It is there that the "Pyx Box," containing the coins of each mint, reserved for the Commission, are brought out for examination and testing.

Although samples of the coinage of each of the Mints presented for the Assay Commission examination are originally in sealed envelopes, once they are removed, they lose their identity of origin. Restoration of the mintmarks will make it possible for the Commission to accomplish its task with much more certainty. In addition to the Annual Assay Commission test, specimens of the coinage of each of the mints are sent to the Laboratory in the Office of the Director of the Mint in the Main Treasury, for testing before issue. Here, too, it would be beneficial to have the mintmarks on the coins to provide assurance as to origin.

During fiscal year 1966, total production of our coinage plants amounted to 9.6 billion coins. Our production program for fiscal 1968 calls for the manufacture of 6.6 billion coins. Every effort is made to assure that the coins measure up to the highest standards which the public has the right to expect. However, because of the very nature of the manufacturing operations which it performs, the Mint and the employees working in it, are not infallible. It is for this reason that resumption of the mintmarking will enable the Treasury to identify the specific mint that produced any questioned coin that does not meet established standards, and to take prompt corrective action.

When a planchet of metal goes into one of our coinage presses, its entire character changes. Once the dies have impressed upon the blank metal all the prescribed legends, inscriptions, devices, and the date, it becomes money of the realm.

Not only does it become money of the realm, it becomes a personality all of its own. This personality, in the form of a coin, has many facets. It voices

our faith in the Deity. It tells us that the full faith of the United States Government assures the worth of this coin. Through the eyes of the sculptor whose initials appear on the portrait, it tells of the President the nation honors. It reminds us of the liberty we enjoy and have fought for and are still fighting to protect, in this year of our lives, and for the years since this nation came to be "one out of many." And some of our coins, which carry the eagle, remind us of the role it serves as the watchful guardian of these freedoms we enjoy. (For a little penny or a dime, one can buy a lot of history.)

All we lack now is the remaining birthright due this planchet, as it goes through the stamping presses. This is the alphabetical letter which designates by its presence which minting institution, other than Philadelphia, brought this coin into existence.

Mr. Chairman, there is little in the annals of the Congress which deals with the subject of mintmarks. With your permission, sir, I would like to offer for examination by your committee and possible inclusion in the record, documents on the history of mintmarking which were prepared by two of the outstanding numismatic newspapers (*Coin World* and *Numismatic News*) in the United States. I think a study of them will convey to you, much more effectively than I am able to tell you in this short time, the role that mintmarks have played through the ages in the coinage of nations.

In doing my homework to prepare for this mintmark hearing, I have become particularly impressed with the similarity of the practices involving the marking of coins, with those our British cousins use in hallmarking their silver. In fact, through periods of history, the British have protected the melting down of their silver coin for use in silverware, by prescribing a higher fineness for the silverware. In addition, to assure that this higher alloy fineness was being used, in 1300 they started the practice of requiring that all silverware manufactured be taken to an assay office, there to be stamped with an assay office mark after proper tests had been made to assure that the alloy was up to standard. The history of the English hallmarking law, requiring the assay

office stamp is indeed interesting and if you do not think, Mr. Chairman, that I am burdening the record unduly, I offer a summary for your consideration.

As an example of the rich history which can be told by an assay office stamp, I would like to show you a ladle. From the initials appearing on it, one might surmise that it was presented by a young swain to his betrothed and in late years became a family heirloom. Of course, we cannot establish anything about the ownership of this piece, but we can tell about its history by the markings which appear on the back of the ladle handle.¹ The first symbol, a small letter "a" in a rectangle with squared edges, tells us that it was made in 1776—the year of the American Declaration of Independence. The third symbol is what is known as a "lion passant." This symbol was introduced in 1544 and is used by all the English offices to denote that a silver article is of the sterling standard. The fourth symbol, bearing the initials "WS" over "RC" tells us that this ladle was made by William Sumner and Richard Crossley who first registered their names at the London Goldsmiths Hall in 1775. And to finish my story, the second symbol, a crowned leopard's head, tells us that this piece was officially examined and stamped by the assay office in London, England.

Can we not conclude that if an assay office stamp on British silver has served a useful service for over six hundred years, it can serve well as a device to protect the coinage of the United States?

As I have indicated earlier in my

testimony, the presence of that mintmark is important to the maintenance of internal control procedures of the Mint. There is another extremely important aspect to this, however. That has to do with frauds perpetrated on the public through alteration of United States coins subsequent to issue, offering them for sale at premium prices, representing them to be "mint errors."

In many cases involving fraudulent dealings in alleged mint errors and other numismatic items, the presence of a valid mintmark immediately reduces the cost of the Department's investigation by restricting it to only one mint. A recent Federal case clearly demonstrated the usefulness of the mintmark in that the coins in question were of a year in which mintmarks were in use. It was at once obvious that any question regarding the production of the subject coins was confined to one mint, in this case that at Philadelphia.

In the years which lie ahead, the Mints will be turning out millions and millions of coins. With the restoration of the mintmarks on them, the Director of the United States Secret Service, Mr. James J. Rowley, is in agreement with the Mint, that we will have an additional security tool in our efforts to protect the integrity of this coinage.

As I close, Mr. Chairman, I would like to thank you and your members for their indulgence in bearing with me in presenting the practicalities involved in mintmarking, as well as some of the historical sentiment which also attaches to this very interesting subject.

Summary

LAWS AND REGULATIONS AFFECTING ENGLISH HALLMARKS

A comprehensive study of the complete legislation with regard to the ancient art of goldsmithing and silver-smithing might well fill several volumes. The laws passed are many, and invari-

ably written in great detail. Here we will attempt merely to give in a very concise form the highlights or most important acts and laws that influenced the production of old silver.

¹Marks on London Plate

Letter	Leopard's Head Crowned
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1776-77



Lion Passant	Registered
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The year 1180 commemorates the earliest mention of a guild or fraternity with regard to silversmithing. However, little importance is attached to it as the association was purely a voluntary one and had but few laws to govern it. After its inauguration, the founders were fined for being irregularly established without a proper license from the King.

As early as the year 1238, many inferior goldsmiths took advantage of their trade and produced silver of a very much lower standard than was used for government coins. These pieces were marketed for the same price as those of the correct alloy. Because of these numerous frauds, Henry III ordered the Mayor and aldermen of the City of London to choose six of the most discreet goldsmiths to superintend the craft. This order was duly obeyed and in the succeeding years these men were in turn followed by others in the so-called offices of superintendents or wardens.

The wardens were given more and more power as time went on and in 1300 were authorized to assay every silver vessel produced, to ascertain whether or not it contained the correct proportion of silver and alloy. They became known as "gardiens."

In the year 1327 the Guild of London Goldsmiths became regularly incorporated by Royal Charter, under the title of "The Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Goldsmiths of the City of London." The most important legislation enacted by this Congress was that requiring every silver smith to use a particular hallmark of his own.

The second "Statutum de Moneta" in 1335 declared that inasmuch as counterfeit money had been imported by foreigners, plate was not to be exported without official license in order to protect the coin within the realm of the people. It is interesting to note here that the only means of exit from England officially allowed was from Dover, at which place foreigners were searched and then permitted to depart from England.

A Statute passed in 1363 commanded that no goldsmith should work gold or silver into a wrought article unless it was of the alloy of good sterling. In the succeeding years, numerous by-laws

were enacted in regard to the trade, all of varying importance.

The Guild was reincorporated by charter in 1392 with vastly extended powers. In the provinces there is also evidence of the existence of similar guilds. These, however, will be discussed in detail in their proper place.

During the reigns of Henry VIII and Edward VI the silver coinage in England has been scandalously debased to the extent that in 1551, the coin minted consisted of only three ounces of silver to every pound weight of coins. But in 1560, an act of Elizabeth definitely established the Sterling Standard of 11 ounces 2 dwt. This is the equivalent of 92.5 per cent pure silver and this standard has remained until the present time (with the exception of one period from 1697 to 1720). In order to correct the existing evil state of the coinage at this time, all existing base money was recalled by Royal proclamation on February 19, 1560.

In order to stop the melting of coins for use in silverware, a law was passed in 1696 raising the silverware standard above the coin standard to 11 ounces 10 dwt. (95.8%). Pieces made of this standard were to be stamped with a new mark known as Britannia.

But in 1719 the old standard of 11 ounces 2 dwt. was revived since wares of this content were proven to be more durable than the softer Britannia ware and the higher standard did not accomplish its purpose. Silversmiths merely added pure silver to coin silver to increase the standard. The higher or Britannia standard was not abolished but left to the discretion of individual silversmiths. It is interesting to note that the silver standard of 1719 has never changed since. This same act, which was one of the most important recorded in the annals of the Guild, also imposed a tax of sixpence per ounce on all silver made in Great Britain. This is the first known mention of any duty on plate, but because of the ineffectuality of collecting the duty, this act was repealed in 1757. In its place a law was passed which required a license to be purchased by every goldsmith and silversmith, for which a nominal fee was charged.

The duty on plate was reimposed in 1784 and continued until 1890. The head

of the reigning sovereign was punched on the piece in order to denote that the full duty has been paid.

In 1890 the duty on silver was repealed, and the use of the sovereign's head was discontinued.

Hallmarks

Because of the correct and continued use of hallmarks on English silver, the collector and research student of today is enabled to trace the complete ancestry of nearly any piece made subsequent to 1300. However, let it not be thought that hallmarks were ever originally used for any other purpose than to prevent fraud. On all pieces made from the beginning of the fourteenth century, a series of hallmarks was to be impressed denoting the quality of the piece made, and indicative of the individual maker.

The Leopard's Head mark was first established in 1300 and may be said to be the earliest known hallmark on English silver. In 1363 the name was changed and this particular mark was called a King's mark. Through an error in translation from the French, the name leopard was applied to the head as depicted in the hallmark, but actually the figure used was that of the head of a lion. From 1478 to the George II era there was a crown on the leopard's head. After this time, however, the size of the head was diminished and again through an error in reading the original laws of the guild, the crown was omitted.

Maker's Mark

This mark is next in chronological order to the leopard's head. The act of 1363 ordained that every Master Goldsmith should have a mark of his own which was to be impressed on each piece after it has been assayed. The first maker's marks were generally flowers, animals, hearts, crosses, or other symbols generally selected in allusion to the maker's name. It is probably because most of the population at this time was illiterate that this form of mark was used. Shops in London of this period were rarely advertised by name since so few people were able to read. Therefore, we may assume that the earliest silversmiths aped the styles of shopkeepers in advertising or hall-marking their own products. This

system fell into disuse in the seventeenth century and by the time of Charles II, initials and letters were used. During the years of the Britannia standard many makers used two individual marks, in order to distinguish silver made of one standard from the other. This caused so much confusion that in 1739 a statute decreed that all silversmiths should use the first initials of their Christian name and surname. At this time all previous marks were discontinued.

Date Letters

Although there has been definite proof of the use of the date letter on silver as early as 1500, the first actual mention is in 1629. From this time on, date letters were used with sufficient frequency to enable one to fill in the missing years, and so be able to determine the exact year in which a piece was made. The use of the date letter was arranged in cycles of twenty years using the letters A to U or V, but excluding J. At the end of each twenty years, a different type of letter was used and the cartouche was changed. It must be mentioned here that dates that one often finds engraved on a piece of silver are of but little help in determining the actual year in which a piece was created, as many pieces were given or bequeathed and the date inscribed signified the time of the presentation, not the time of making.

Lion Passant

This mark was adopted as the official stamp at the Goldsmiths Hall in London in 1544. All London silver made since then must have this mark.

Lion's Head Erased and "Britannia"

The only importance to be attached to these two marks is that they denoted pieces made of the higher standard and were used for only 23 years, from 1697 to 1720. It is because of the short term of use of these marks that pieces bearing the Britannia are rare and always sought after by collectors.

Sovereign's Head

This mark should be found on all plate assayed in England from 1784 to 1890 as it was required to be used to denote the payment of duty by the silversmith to the Crown. This mark is actually the head in profile of the

reigning King or Queen.

Thus the use of these marks enables

us to identify the place, year and maker
of old silverware.

Wyler, Seymour B., "The Book of Old Silver - English, American, Foreign," Crown Publishers, New York, pp. 6-10.

NATIONAL COIN WEEK WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Sgt. Rick and Virginia Bronson, co-chairman for National Coin Week, have announced the results of NCW judging of entries in the various classes for NCW competition. Judges for 1967 National Coin Week included: Mrs. Vivian Cooper, Omaha, Nebraska; Mrs. Saucie Maynard, Winfield, Kansas; Ralph Cleaver, Brighton, Colorado; Jerry Hillebrand, St. Louis, Missouri; Ray Janda and John Maxim, both of Kansas City, Missouri.

Points were close and final results are as follows:

Class A (Clubs over 100)

1. Liberty Coin Club of Corpus Christi, Texas, ANA 48448
 2. Struthers Numismatic Club, Struthers, Ohio, ANA 57439
 3. Saginaw Valley Coin Club, Bay City, Michigan, ANA 17628
- Honorable Chicago Coin Club, Chicago, Illinois, ANA LM60
Honorable Rochester Numismatic Assn., Rochester, N. Y., ANA 1629
Honorable Old Fort Coin Club, Ft. Wayne, Indiana, ANA 27533

Class B (Clubs 50 through 99)

1. Billings Coin Club, Billings, Montana, ANA 28827
 2. Ashland Stamp and Coin Club, Ashland, Ohio, ANA 13517
 3. Inland Empire Coin Club, Spokane, Wash., ANA 21371
- Honorable Austin, Texas Coin Club, Austin, Texas, ANA 25119
Honorable Southern Hub Coin Club, Lawndale, California, ANA 29238

Class C (Clubs 49 or less)

1. Holland Coin Club, Holland, Michigan, ANA 33858
 2. Pothandle Coin Club, Chadron, Nebraska, ANA 36183
 3. Tanem Coin Club, Anchorage, Alaska, ANA 54492
- Honorable Kansas City Numismatic Society, Kansas City, Missouri, ANA 32219
Honorable Big Island Coin Club, Hilo, Hawaii, ANA 53794

Class D (Individuals USA)

1. James A. Greene, Sparta, N. C., ANA 43036
 2. Valentine Pasvolsky, Lakewood, N. J., ANA 55571
 3. MSgt. Sherrill L. Dunkin, Homestead, Fla., ANA 53533
- Honorable Dr. William M. Ingram, Cincinnati, Ohio, ANA 56469

Class J (Individual Juniors)

1. Randy Streeter, Bay City, Michigan, ANA J58210
 2. David M. McLane, 118 Sunset Rd., Arlington, Mass., ANA J57852
 3. Leonora Dickson, Chicago, Illinois, ANA J58132
- Honorable Glen Keating, Jr., Pine Bluff, Ark., ANA J58066
Honorable Ricky Sadoff, Camden, N. J., ANA J58469

Class X (Clubs not in USA)

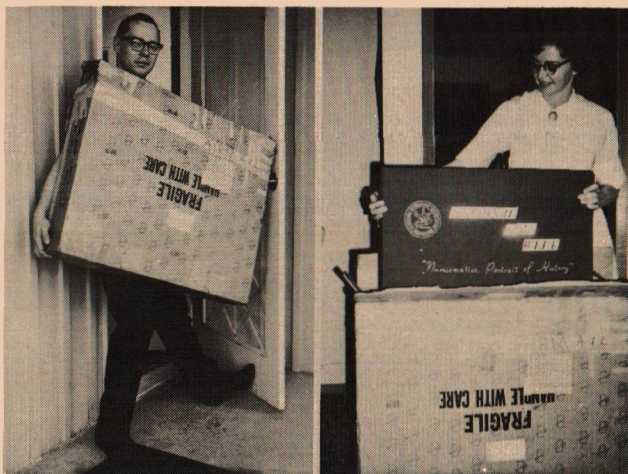
1. Isthmian Numismatic Society, Balboa, Canal Zone, ANA 29639
2. Cristobal Coin Club, Cristobal, Canal Zone, ANA 54312
3. Goose Bay Coin Club, Newfoundland, Canada, ANA 58058

Class Y (Individuals not in USA)

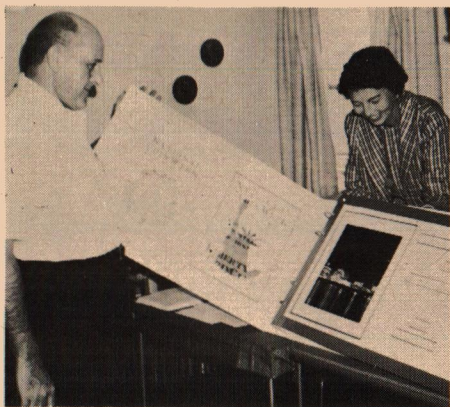
1. Jimmie N. Lawrence, Johannesburg, S. Africa, ANA 51637
2. Harold Don Allen, Quebec, Canada, ANA LM326

A Peek At NATIONAL COIN WEEK JUDGING

Sgt. Rick Bronson struggles with an airmailed scrapbook from James Greene, Sparta, N. C. Postage alone came to \$18.18. Virginia Bronson, right, sneaks a peek at the book prior to judging. Incidentally, it earned first place in Class D for its compiler.



From left to right Vivian Cooper, Virginia Bronson, Ray Janda and John Maxim count points for a Class A club scrapbook.



Jerry Hillebrand and Saucie Maynard look at the Texas sized scrapbook from the Liberty Coin Club of Corpus Christi. It earned them top honors in Class A.



Ralph Cleaver, left, and John Maxim argue a point in judging a junior entry. All six judges concurred that this was the most difficult category to judge.

New and Recent Issues

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It is the important duty of *The Numismatist* to record and illustrate new coins. To accomplish this, members in the United States and abroad are invited to submit new issues to Ernst Kraus, Room 939 (include room number in address), 393 Seventh Ave., New York, N. Y. 10001. Coins will be photographed and returned as soon as possible, and a credit line will be given to anyone assisting.

Kenya

Much of Kenya's early history still remains largely unknown but it is known that whilst the inland areas were being populated by migratory African tribes coastal settlements were being established by Arab and Persian traders. In 1498 by Portuguese settlers who, after 200 years of intermittent struggling were eventually driven out by the Arabs. Britain's interest in East Africa began through trade links at first with the island of Zanzibar and later with the coast. In 1887 the British East Africa Association obtained a concession from the Sultan of Zanzibar over his territories on the coast of present day Kenya. The opening of a railway encouraged European's settlement and in 1920 Kenya was formed into a colony. On June 1, 1963, internal self-government was granted with Jomo Kenyatta as the prime minister and on December 12 of the same year full independence was granted.

The Central Bank of Kenya placed that country's first issue of coins into circulation on April 10, 1967. All were dated 1966 and struck at the Royal Mint in London.



5 cents, 1966. Nickel-brass. Obverse: portrait of President Kenyatta to left.

Reverse: arms in center dividing date; value below, 5 / FIVE CENTS; legend, REPUBLIC OF KENYA, above. Plain edge. 25mm.



10 cents, 1966. Nickel-brass. Similar to above except for size and value. Plain edge. 31mm.



25 cents, 1966. Cupro-nickel. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 18mm.



50 cents, 1966. Cupro-nickel. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 21mm.



1 shilling, 1966. Cupro-nickel. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 27mm.



2 shillings, 1966. Cupro-nickel. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 32mm.

The Philippines

Commemorating the fall of Corregidor and the infamous death march from Bataan, the government of the Philippines has had struck at the San Francisco Assay Office one peso commemoratives on the twenty-fifth anniversary of the tragic events.



1 peso, 1967. Silver. Obverse: arms in center; value, ONE PESO below; legend, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES above. Reverse: broken sword in flames within wreath, the hilt dividing dates, 1942-1967; legend around upper portion 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF BATAAN DAY. Reeded edge. 38mm.

United Arab Republic

The United Arab Republic was formerly a union of Egypt and Syria. Proclaimed on February 1, 1958, it was later joined by the Kingdom of Yemen on March 8 of the same year. A military coup in Syria brought about the secession of that country in 1961. The federal union between Egypt and Yemen ostensibly continued for a short time afterwards but Egypt ended the federation in December, 1961. However, Egypt has continued the use of the United Arab Republic as its official name.

The coins listed below are reported to have been issued to take the place of the same issues in bronze, which have almost entirely disappeared from circulation.



5 milliem, 1967. Aluminum. Obverse: arms consisting of eagle with a two star shield superimposed. Reverse: in Arabic the value between the Christian date 1967 and the Mohammedan date 1386 AH; also in Arabic the legend, UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC. Incused three times around the edge, in Arabic, GHEEM - EIN - MEEM, for UAR. Size 22mm.



10 milliem, 1967. Aluminum. Similar to above except for size and value.

Yugoslavia

The 1965 currency revaluation brought with it two new coin types, a 5 para in bronze and a 1 dinar in copper-nickel. These were illustrated in the June 1966 issue of *The Numismatist*. Additional values of similar designs were expected to be added shortly. In a surprise move and before any other denominations were released, a general redesigning of all coinage took place. So far, only three values have been released with new and different designs, all are dated 1965. All were struck in aluminum-bronze and consist as described below of the 5, 10 and 20 para. This creates two distinct types of the 5 para, both dated 1965.



5 para, 1967. Aluminum-bronze. Obverse: arms in center, Croatia-Slovenian legend below, SFR JUGOSLAVIJA (Socialist Federated Republic), identical Serbian legend above in Cyrillic letters. Reverse: large numeral 5 for value in center between date; PARA in four languages around. Reeded edge. 16mm.



10 para, 1967. Aluminum-bronze. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 21mm.



20 para, 1967. Aluminum-bronze. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. 23 mm.

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Corrections

Nepal: 10 paisa 1966 was struck in brass and not aluminum as previously reported. The 1, 2 and 5 paisas were all made in aluminum.

Kennedy Plaque Completed

Gilroy Roberts is seen here completing the sculpturing of his newest John F. Kennedy portrait. This is the second produced by Roberts, the first was used on the Kennedy half dollar. The new portrait depicts the late president in a most realistic manner with a dramatically rugged sculpturing technique. Fifty numbered originals of this plaque will be produced at the Franklin Mint in heavy, solid silver — with each personally finished and marked by Roberts. The first plaque was presented to the Kennedy family on the fiftieth anniversary of President Kennedy's birth, May 29, 1967.



LATE WORLD COIN NEWS

UNITED STATES

New Commission — New Boss

Henry H. Fowler, secretary of the Treasury, has named Kenneth M. Failor as the executive director of the Joint Commission on the Coinage.

Failor, former chief of the Coin Management Division of the Mint, will serve as full-time director. He will handle all administrative duties for the commission.

The Joint Commission on the Coinage was created by the Coinage Act of 1965 to advise the President, the Secretary of the Treasury and the Congress on implementation of the coinage program; needs of the economy for coins; standards for coins; technological developments and other considerations relevant to maintaining an adequate coinage system, minting of silver dollars and official maintenance of the price of silver.

The Commission has 24 members: twelve from the Congress; four from the Executive Branch and eight public members, including Amon G. Carter, Jr., publisher of the Fort Worth *Star Telegram* and ANA life member 350.

Prior to the enactment of the Coinage Act of 1965, U. S. dimes, quarters, half dollars and silver dollars all contained 90 percent silver. The 1965 Act eliminated silver from dimes and quarters and reduced the silver content of half dollars to 40 percent. The Act also prohibited manufacturing silver dollars for five years. It directed the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase newly minted silver at \$1.25 a troy ounce, and authorized him to sell silver in excess of stocks required to be held as reserves against silver certificates, at not less than the monetary value of silver. It also authorized him to prohibit the export, melting or treating of U. S. coins. One of the duties of the newly appointed Commission will be to make recommendations for the disposal of some three million rare silver dollars still held by the Treasury. Hearings were held on this last July by the Committee on Banking and Currency of the House of Representatives. The

Commission's next meeting is scheduled for July 14.

ETHIOPIA

Haile's Happy Holiday

One of the first promotional features of Canada's EXPO 67 was proclaiming May 2—Ethiopian National Day. A commemorative medal marking the 75th birthday of His Imperial Majesty Haile Selassie I was struck in gold and presented to the emperor on behalf of the Ethiopian government. The medal also commemorates the long-standing friendship between Ethiopia and Canada and is officially called the Ethiopia-Canada Friendship Medal.

There will be an unlimited edition of bronze copies to be distributed, as well as a silver presentation series, which will be made available from the International Numismatic Agency, of New York City.

The medal was struck at the Franklin Mint in Philadelphia under the supervision of Gilroy Roberts, former chief sculptor-engraver of the U. S. Mint and designer of the Kennedy half dollar.

PANAMA

Proofs from San Francisco

Panama 1966 six-coin proof sets, struck at the San Francisco Assay Office for the government of Panama are now being distributed to customers who ordered them last year from Paramount International Coin Corp., Dayton, Ohio, exclusive agent for the Republic of Panama. A spokesman revealed that the total mintage, 12,701 sets, had been shipped to "over 5,300" different customers.

The sets were sold during 1966 at \$15 each, plus postage. Orders have been closed since July 31, 1966, and the quantity minted represents only those that had been sold up to the deadline date. The proof sets were sealed in transparent plastic pouches similar to those used for United States proof sets.

The Panama proof sets contain silver, one balboa (dollar size); silver-clad base silver, half balboa; cupro-nickel-clad copper, quarter and tenth balboa; cu-

pro-nickel, five centesimos; and bronze, one centesimo. The coins are struck similar to United States coinage standards.

Panama and U. S. coinage has been closely linked since the two nations signed a treaty 62 years ago which provided for Panamanian coin production under U. S. Bureau of the Mint jurisdiction. This treaty signed in 1904 called for Panama to obtain its coins in the United States and for the coins to generally conform to the U. S. coinage specifications as to size and type of composition. The value of the U. S. coins and Panamanian coins is interchangeable.

The proof set for Panama is a "first" ever struck at any United States branch minting establishment for general sale to collectors, and the first proof set of any kind struck in any U. S. minting facility since the United States 1964 proof set.

Additional information may also be received by writing directly to Paramount, 5055 N. Main St., Dayton, Ohio 45415.

DENMARK

Congratulations

A new Danish commemorative 10 kroner will be issued on the occasion of wedding of Crown Princess Margrethe,

heir to the Danish throne, to Prince Henrik. Date of the ceremonies has been set for June 10. The silver commemorative will be the first crown sized coin issued in Denmark in the 20th century.

The obverse of the coin will bear the head of Frederick IX, king of Denmark; the reverse will show the conjoined heads of the young couple.

URUGUAY

New Source for New Notes

Among the provisions in the 1966 Uruguayan Constitution, approved by a plebiscite in November, 1966, is the creation of a central bank. The need for such a bank has been discussed on several occasions, and the last specific project was in 1962 when a special commission was appointed by the government to work out a specific proposal for the creation of a central bank.

The 1966 Constitution draws upon these previous projects and orders the establishment of a new central bank which will, at the outset, take over the functions of the Issue Department of the Bank of the Republic. Thus, the new institution will have all the issue prerogatives and such transition of authority will, no doubt, be noted on the currency of the nation.

S.S. BEAVER MEDALS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA



To commemorate British Columbia's centennial year, a limited medallic edition portraying the S.S. Beaver, the first steamship to operate on the Pacific Coast, has been struck. For 53 years, from 1836, this quaint and historic sidewheel steamer was a major factor in the development of the Pacific Coast. One and one-half inches in diameter, the medal was struck in bronze and silver and offered to collectors by Historic Medals, 313, 532 Dallas Rd., Victoria, B. C.



CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP
FOR VALUE RECEIVED I (WE) HEREBY SELL AND ASSIGN TO _____ OF _____

THE COIN PHOTOGRAPHED ON THE REVERSE OF THIS AFFIDAVIT, _____

DATE _____ 19____ REGISTRANT _____

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HARRIS

I, Fred Frank, AFFIRM THAT THE UNRETOUCHED PHOTOGRAPH ON THE REVERSE OF THIS AFFIDAVIT, WITH REGISTRATION NO. _____, IS OF THE COIN RECEIVED FROM Matt Rothert Camden, Arkansas

AND PHOTOGRAPHED BY AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION COIN REGISTRATION SERVICE. THIS IS JOINT A GUARANTEE OF AUTHENTICITY.

SUBSCRIBED AND AFFIRMED BEFORE ME THIS 22 DAY OF May 1967.

Charles H. Hanks NOTARY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES June 1, 1968

The first coin to be registered and photographed through the new ANA coin registration service was a scarce 1794 silver dollar, the property of Matt H. Rothert, president of the ANA. This coin, which was authorized by Congress on April 2, 1792, and first issued in 1794, is photographed actual size and the reverse side of the registration photo serves as a certificate of title. When the coin is later sold the transfer of ownership can be noted and a "pedigree" established for the coin.

Notes & Queries

Photo Registration of Scarce Coins Latest ANA Service To Be Initiated

In the continuing program of increased and improved services for the coin collector that has marked the progress of the American Numismatic Association during the past few years, John Jay Pittman, chairman of the Bureau of Numismatic Identification and Authentication committee (BONI), announces that the ANA is ready to launch a coin registration program for its members. June 10, dedication day for the new ANA home and headquarters, has been selected as the first day of this new service. That date was picked to exemplify the new and modern services that are being initiated to meet the needs of the modern collector.

This latest service will not only register the rare or scarce coins of a collector but will also provide him with a certificate of title that will show both the obverse and reverse of the coin side by side and will be notarized and

sealed. When the coin is disposed of by the owner a transfer of title will be registered and a new certificate issued to the new owner. In the course of time a pedigree will be established for the coin.

Virgil Hancock, a BONI committee-man and Pittman, both well known for numismatic authentication, have worked closely together in establishing this new program for the ANA. They explain that when all scarce or rare coins have been registered and a line of ownership established, outlets for "hot" coins will have been closed.

Pittman emphasizes that this is a registration system for coins, not an attributing or authentication service. These programs will follow at a later date. All coins bear minute marks that are not visible to the naked eye, yet when the negatives of the registered coins, that are kept in security in the

vaults of the ANA headquarters in Colorado Springs, are enlarged many times a sort of "fingerprint" will appear that can positively identify the coin and this evidence should be accepted in any court of the United States should the question of theft or ownership ever arise.

The entire program will be handled from the new headquarters in Colorado Springs and the schedule of fees is as follows:

Registration of 1 to 4	
coins	\$4.00 each coin
Registration of 5 to 24	
coins	3.00 each coin
Registration of all over	
24 coins	2.60 each coin
Extra prints (not registration)	
at time of registration	
	0.15 each coin surface
Extra prints (not registration)	
at later date ..	0.40 each coin surface
Change of ownership	
registration	1.25 each coin
Owner pays transportation and insurance to and fro.	

Owner pays one-half of one per cent of his stated value of his coin for insurance while coin is in ANA's hands. Coins should be properly packaged and addressed to Coin Registration, ANA, P. O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901.

Chairman Pittman pointed out that fine-grain developing will be used for the highest quality prints that will detail even the most minor imperfections in a coin and that negatives of the specimen will be cross referenced by the name of the last registrant, name of issuing country and text book reference number. Thus the ANA system will also prove to be an aid to law enforcement officers in the identification of coins found in the possession of burglary or theft suspects.

It is believed that this service may be the beginning of an era that will greatly deter coin thefts and cause insurance companies to review some of the prohibitive rates now charged for coin insurance; one more service in the continuing program to better serve the collector.



Pictured here with the Senator at his office are S. W. Freeman, left, and Arthur Sipe, right. Also on hand to witness the formal application for membership were Chester L. Krause, Numismatic News, and Richard S. Yeoman, Whitman Publishing Company. These latter two were also in Washington to testify on the mintmark hearings.

Signed and Sealed One Senator's Signature

Do you follow the political polls? Have you noticed a new name appearing on the list of Republican possibilities for that party's 1968 presidential nomination? The name is that of Senator Mark O. Hatfield, former governor of Oregon and convention keynote speaker.

Senator Hatfield's name will now appear on a new list, that of applications for membership in the American Numismatic Association. In Washington to testify on the congressional hearings concerning mint marks, S. W. Freeman, chairman of the Washington Educational Committee and advertising manager of *The Numismatist*, and Arthur Sipe, ANA first vice-president, paid a call to the Senator's office and signed him to membership. Following the publication of Senator Hatfield's name in *The Numismatist*, he is due to become member number 59160 on August 1.

Government Museum Has Permanent Show

The History of Canada as told by money — the most extensive numismatic museum display anywhere in Canada

during the nation's Centennial Year — is now on public display permanently at The Glenbow-Alberta Government Museum in Calgary.

The display includes hundreds of tokens used as money in pre-confederation Canada, an extensive collection of paper money used in Canada from 1790 to date, and a complete collection of decimal coinage of Canada and its provinces from inception in 1858 to date. Coins are complete in all metals, gold, silver and base metal, including the very rare pattern proofs of the first coinage of the province and Dominion of Canada, and the beautiful proofs of Centennial Year.

The rare and valuable collection has been built up over several years by Carl O. Nickle for The Nickle Foundation of Calgary, and has been gifted to The Glenbow-Alberta Institute to be held permanently for the citizens of Alberta. This has been a major "Centennial Project" — unique in Canada — for The Nickle Foundation, and is an extension of the foundation's twelve year old program of "aids to education" through scholarships and bursaries.

Canada's first issue of "bank notes," made with approval of the colonial governor at Montreal in 1790, is in the collection; so are a variety of the notes issued by the Hudson's Bay Company prior to absorption of Rupert's Land into Canada, together with a host of bank and private note issues from the Atlantic Provinces to Vancouver Island. Included are examples of Alberta's famed "Velocity Dollars," the Prosperity Certificates of 1936.

A complete collection of the 46 different series of "shinplasters," twenty-five cent Dominion of Canada notes issued from 1870 to 1923, is included. So too are almost all of the varieties of larger denomination notes issued for general use by the original Province of Canada (1866) and by the Dominion from 1870 to the commencement of Bank of Canada issues in 1935. All series of Bank of Canada notes are included, right up to the special Centennial Dollar issue of 1967.

The viewer can see in the display the last of the big "big bills," the \$1,000 and \$500 large size Dominion Notes issued 1925, and the first of the big "small-size bills" issued by the Bank of Canada

in 1935 in \$1,000 and \$500 denominations, together with the host of notes in denominations from a dollar up to \$100.

Included are the rare issues of four dollar notes made by the Canadian government between 1882 and 1902, together with a variety of three and four dollar notes issued by various banks prior to confederation.

This collection will be supplemented soon by tokens used in Canada since confederation, and a display of French, British and foreign coinages used in Canada since the first French colonists landed some 400 years ago. The Nickle Foundation is now completing this phase for transfer to Glenbow.

Warning to Collectors!

"Collectors should be warned that a medal similar to the official, Hawaii Statehood medal is being offered," says a spokesman for Medallie Art Company. These should not be confused with the official Hawaii Statehood medal struck by Medallie Art and distributed by Coin and Currency Institute, both of New York City.

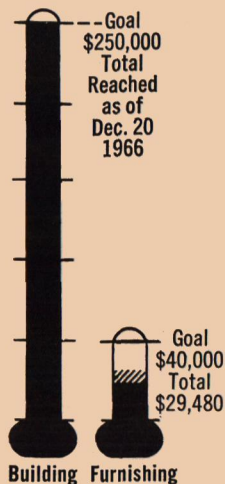
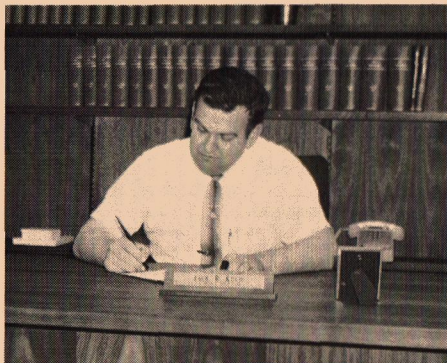
Certain design elements have been changed or eliminated but the overall appearance of the two medals are deceptively similar. Specifically these are: on the obverse the original bears "State of Hawaii," on the simulated piece "Hawaii;" on the reverse the original bears the inscription "The Aloha State August 21, 1959," the simulated piece's inscription reads "Aloha State Hawaii;" the reverse inscription "Hawaii 50th State" within a floral lei has been deleted entirely on the simulated piece, but the lei remains intact; also on the reverse the dolphin has been changed and the compass — appearing on the original — has been eliminated entirely.

The seal of Hawaii appears on both medals on the obverse, and a map of the islands with their names appears on the reverse. There are some differences in the lettering, however.

The official Hawaii Statehood medal is a finely crafted art medal. The simulated piece is made by a process which does not reproduce as high a quality as the art medal process.

The simulated piece is being offered by a Honolulu, Hawaii distributor.

A.N.A. Progress Report



A National Home and Headquarters Will:

- ▶ Make possible more and better services to A.N.A. members through increased efficiency and consolidation of scattered facilities and personnel;
- ▶ Provide for expected rapid growth and expansion of A.N.A. and its programs;
- ▶ House the nation's largest circulating numismatic library and improve the dissemination of numismatic knowledge and information through its audio-visual program and its publications;
- ▶ Provide for the establishment of a national numismatic museum;
- ▶ Be a symbol of the importance of the collecting and study of money from the dawn of civilization to the present and tomorrow;
- ▶ Afford every member an opportunity to have a tangible part in the A.N.A. for its betterment and the advancement and enjoyment of numismatics on a nationwide scale.

COLORADO SPRINGS PROGRESS

Yes sir, we are in that new building at 818 North Cascade in Colorado Springs. The facilities are not in complete operation at this writing but the month of May witnessed the biggest of the giant steps made by the American Numismatic Association in many a year—the actual moving into its first permanent home and national headquarters. At the left, Jack R. Koch, executive director, now directs the association from his desk in his new office and, at the right, John Gabarron, former librarian, helped set up the library in the new building. The world's largest circulating numismatic library is now in full operation.

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
F-3852	Douglas B. Ball, Washington, D. C.	\$25.00	
F-3853	Amon G. Carter, Jr., Fort Worth, Texas	250.00	
F-3854	Merlin Bondhus, Ft. Collins, Colo.	10.00	
3855	Clark S. Yowell, San Diego, Calif. (\$25.00 — Book for Library)		
F-3856	Mr. and Mrs. John Gabarron, Lincoln, Nebraska	60.00	
3857	George H. Becht, New York, N. Y. (\$530.00 — Books for Library)		
F-3858	99 Coin Company, San Clemente, Calif.	250.00	
F-3859	Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Martin, Houston, Tex.	10.00	
F-3860	Ernest D. Renard, South Miami, Fla.	10.00	
F-3861	J. G. Melville, Los Angeles, Calif.	20.00	
F-3862	Mr. and Mrs. Matt Rothert, Camden, Ark.		621.75
F-3863	Edward J. Powers, New York, N. Y.	10.00	
F-3864	Larry Knee, Greeley, Colo.	10.00	
F-3865	Phillips Feld, Birmingham, Ala.	10.00	

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
F-3866	Joseph J. Ptasznik, St. Louis, Mo.	10.00	
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F-3869	A Marylander (In memory of David M. Bullowa LM-55) ..		110.00
F-3870	Grand Island Coin Club, Grand Island, Nebraska	45.00	
F-3871	Red River Valley Coin Club, Fargo, North Dakota	100.00	
F-3872	Northern Valley Coin Club, Demarest, N. J.	30.00	
F-3873	Daytona Beach Numismatic Club, Daytona Beach, Fla....	20.00	
3874	A. H. Albert, Hightstown, N. J. (\$5.00 - Book for Library)		
F-3875	Money donated by affiliated Coin Clubs for the sale of the 75th Anniversary Medal in excess of the selling price....	172.25	
Receipt	No. F-3867 - Less than \$10.00	1.00	
Cash and Coins received in this report, Donors No. F-3852 - F-3875 \$		1,043.25	\$ 731.75
Previously reported receipts		14,084.49	13,622.45
TOTALS		\$ 15,127.74	\$14,354.20

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Completion of \$300,000 Headquarters

Your association's new home and headquarters, a \$300,000 investment in numismatics, is now completed, furnished, occupied and functioning in the service of those who collect and study the money of mankind. Located in one of the choice and very beautiful areas of our country and especially designed to meet the needs of ANA's 25,000 members and affiliated clubs, the clean, stark lines of our modern building emphasize the progress and growing significance of organized numismatics.

As collectors and numismatists, you and I can be proud of this big achievement. It belongs to all of us. It was made possible by our combined effort, doing through our organization, something we could not do individually. Over 3800 separate gifts of a few dollars to many thousand have paid for the new facility and its furnishings. Many others have given freely of their time, talents and effort in planning and developing the many phases of this big project. And now, a permanent foundation has been laid for a golden era of numismatic progress.

We can realize this golden era by making certain that our fine facility is not an end in itself. We must now direct the great strength of organized numismatics to improving and expanding the many services, activities and programs of our association, based in this building, which benefits you and me and are so essential to the enjoyment, understanding and pursuit of numismatics. We must also speed up the development and dissemination of our rich heritage of numismatic knowledge and literature. We must make the *collection and study* of the money used by mankind over the past 2600 years more enjoyable, more educational and more interesting.

The *collection and study* of money is truly a great humanistic discipline. The lessons we learn as numismatists about money and monetary history, systems, experimentation, mistakes, debasement and the preservation of a sound medium of exchange, should stand us in good stead in doing our part to help manage and preserve a sound money and mone-

tary system in our country and in the world, upon which depends all progress, culture and the well-being of mankind.

Two Big Gifts

We are happy to report that five packages of coins were recently received from the Norweb Collection, a gift of Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb of Cleveland, who have previously become ANA benefactors. Included were many choice and valuable coins of museum quality. No strings were attached to the gift, which may be sold and the funds used to help pay for furnishing the new headquarters or retained in whole or part for our association's museum. After the coins are processed and appraised a decision will be made on their ultimate use. We all join in thanking the Norwebs for their latest gift.

We are also happy to report that \$15,000.00 was realized from the sale of 500 shares of stock in General Numismatics Corporation. The stock was given to ANA about two years ago by Joseph M. Segel who is an ANA patron and well known as the president of the Franklin Mint and General Numismatics Corporation. The proceeds from his gift will be used in accordance with his wishes to help pay for furnishing the new facility.

Furnishing Drive Ends July 20

With these two large gifts and a number of other gifts promised and being processed, it appears that sufficient funds are now in sight to meet the \$40,000 furnishings goal. So the drive to raise funds for this purpose will officially end on July 20, 1967. All individuals and organizations who are now planning or are in the process of putting together a contribution to the furnishings fund should arrange to remit before the closing date. Otherwise, such contributions will not be recorded on the honor roll of donors. After the closing date the plaque for benefactors, patrons, 250-clubs and other contributors will be prepared and placed with

the Book of Honored Donors in a conspicuous place in the new building. So please arrange to make your contribution by the closing date.

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For the past five years your columnist has directed, written about and worked on the various phases of our association's big headquarters project. The many problems of fund raising, site acquisition and selection, planning and building have been met and overcome.

Our goal has been achieved! For the widespread and enthusiastic help of many individuals, committeemen, organizations, elected officials and the staff of our association, all of whom have given so generously of their time, effort and money, I am truly grateful. Now, the time has come to write "finish" to the project and this column. — CHARLES M. JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE FUND RAISING AND BUILDING AND PLANNING COMMITTEES.

THE ANA HISTORICAL EXHIBIT

The greatest milestone in the 76 year history of the American Numismatic Association was the dedication of its national headquarters amid pomp and ceremony on June 10, 1967. For the first time the numerous departments of the organization are, or soon will be, united under one roof in this beautiful facility at Colorado Springs.

In conjunction with the museum, the ANA Historical Exhibit has been on the planning boards for many months. Through the efforts of several of the staff officers as well as other members, numerous items of ANA memorabilia have come to light. The original notes made by David Harlowe at the 1891 Chicago organizational convention, hand written pages of the first constitution and bylaws, a photostat copy of the original charter, the deed to *The Numismatist* are a few of the documents now held by the organization. Copies of the 1910 George F. Heath memorial medal and the 1924 Moritz Wormser president medal are now in the collection.

A major accomplishment was made when Donald R. Heath announced at the 1966 Diamond Jubilee Convention that he was presenting the association with the small hand press on which his father printed the number one volume of *The Numismatist*. This little press, still in working condition, will always hold a place of high honor in the exhibit.

An effort is being made to obtain a complete collection of ANA convention badges. Thanks to several large dona-

tions, this project is well along. Details and a list of those still needed will be published later. Photos of famous collectors, ANA officials, and ANA conventions have been formed in recent years, mostly from the T. James Clarke collection, but a few are still missing.

Other packets of memorabilia are awaiting completion of the museum before their holders send them in. There are many, many more items, however, that somehow just dropped from sight. Heading the list are the dies used in striking the Heath and Wormser medals. Research reveals their whereabouts until the early forties when the trail ends. Several other dies, used to strike ANA medals are seemingly missing.

There are surely many more items of ANA memorabilia which found their way into an obscure compartment in a collector's home, a catch all space in a dealer's back room, or the junk box of a medal striking firm. It would be most gratifying if these historical items would come to light and find their way into the new home provided for them in the museum along with other ANA historical documents, medals, mementos and artifacts.

The historian may be contacted at the address listed on the officers' page in *The Numismatist*. Executive director, Jack R. Koch, and his headquarters staff will be the terminal for all items sent in. The appreciation of the ANA and a proper place of distinction for the items awaits your response. — JACK W. OGLVIE, historian

HEATH LITERARY AWARD WINNERS

Lee F. Hewitt, chairman of the ANA Heath Literary Awards Committee, reports that the first round of balloting was sufficiently clear cut to establish the 1967 awards without follow-up balloting as was necessary in 1966.

The two silver medal award winners were in the best five selection of all the judges. However, Eric Newman received four first place ballots; Miguel Munoz, three. Serving on the 1967 committee were: Lee F. Hewitt, chairman; J. Douglas Ferguson; Elston Bradfield; Mrs. Doris Martin; Robert T. Ferris; P. K. Anderson; Dr. Charles F. Leich; Tom Becker; Edward C. Rochette; Ray Byrne; and Glenn Smedley.

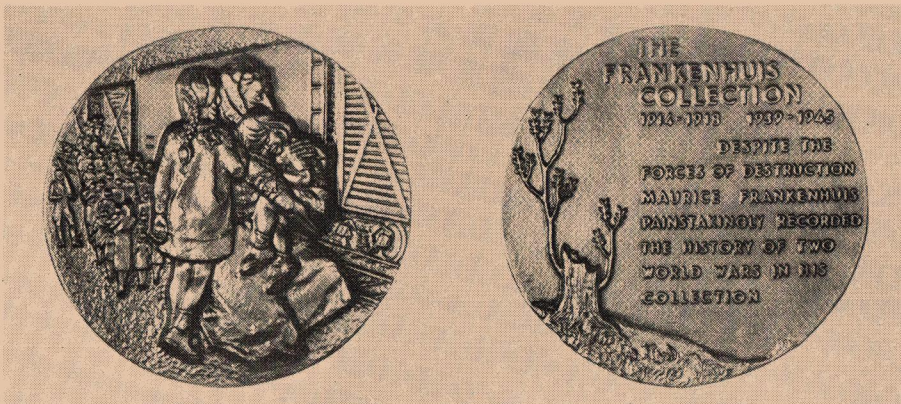
Winners were: first silver medal — Eric P. Newman for "Sources of Emblems and Mottoes"; second silver medal — Miguel L. Munoz for "Mexico 1536: Prima Numisma America"; first bronze medal — Thomas Wm. Becker for "A

History of Minting Methods"; second bronze medal — Arnold L. Perl for "Notes on Encased Postage"; and third bronze medal — Douglas B. Ball for "Certain Enigmatical Confederate Currency Issues."

Honorable mentions were made to: Dr. Mena Crisologo for "Jose Rigal in Numismatics"; Harry X Boosel for "The Spanish American War — 1873 — Almost!"; Peter Franquet for "A George Washington Medallion"; and to Frank W. Brown for "Story of San Antonio Money." A fifth and special honorable mention was given to Helen B. Rhodes in recognition of her reporting of ladies activities at the 1966 convention.

The Heath Literary Awards are presented annually to authors whose work has been selected from articles appearing in *The Numismatist* during the previous calendar year.

INFAMOUS CHAPTER OF HISTORY RECORDED



The Frankenhuis Collection has issued a commemorative medal conceived as a tribute to the 6 million Jews who were murdered by the Nazis during World War II. The medal was designed by Elizabeth Nealon Weistrop and struck in bronze by Medallic Art Company of New York. The obverse depicts the plight of a mother and two small children about to be deported to a concentration camp via cattle-car. The reverse inscriptions commend the achievement of the "Frankenhuis Collection" which survived destruction to enrich the store of sociological and historical material for the enlightenment of mankind.

Maurice Frankenhuis presented the medal to individual heroes who are officially on record as having risked their lives to rescue Jews during the German occupation. Three inch, bronze copies are available to the public through leading coin and medal dealers.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Calendar listings are published as a service to member clubs of the American Numismatic Association and insertions are published up to four months in advance.

EAST

- July 7-8 Mid-Hudson Numis. Club 7th Annual Show. Gov. Clinton Hotel, 1 Albany Ave., Kingston, N. Y. Earle D. Sherwood, P. O. Box 157, Hurley.
- September 16 Camden County Coin Club Show. Camden Plaza Motor Hotel, Camden, N. J. Betty Perla, 27 E. Chestnut Ave., Merchantville.
- 16-17 Baron Stiegel Coin Club Annual Show. Manheim Auto Auction, Manheim, Pa. Arlena R. Brosey, R. D. 3, Manheim.
- 16-17 Harrisburg Coin Club, Inc. 5th Annual Show. Capitol Motel, Route 22, Harrisburg, Pa. Samuel Seibert, Elizabethtown.
- 17 Essex County Coin Club 10th Annual Convention. Robert Treat Hotel, Park Place, Newark, N. J. Anthony Milli, P. O. Box 144, Brooklyn.
- 22-24 Virginia Numismatic Association 9th Annual Convention. Monticello Hotel, Charlottesville, Va. VNA, P. O. Box 1102, Charlottesville.
- 23 William Penn Coin Club Show. Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Phila., Pa. Donald I. Abrahams, 617 Adams Ave., Philadelphia.
- 23-24 Indiana Coin Club 17th Annual Show. Rustic Lodge, Indiana, Pa. C. V. Stabile, P. O. Box 91, Lucerne Mines.
- 24 Carbondale-Simpson Numismatic Assn. 7th Annual Show. Holy Trinity Hall, Simpson, Pa. John A. Zurine, 303 Morse Ave., Simpson.
- 24 Hackettstown Coin Club, Inc. 8th Annual Show. American Legion Home, Hackettstown, N. J. Mrs. Leon Grant, 100 N. Perry St., Dover.
- October 6-8 New England Numismatic Association, Inc. 23rd Annual Conference and Convention. Sheraton-Eastland, Portland, Maine. William E. Elms, 3 Joan Street, Brunswick.
- 20-22 Empire State Numis. Assn. 35th Semi-Annual Convention. Sheraton Inn Towne Motel, Albany, N. Y. James Walser, P. O. Box 1955, Albany.
- 21-22 Red Rose Coin Club 1967 Coin Show. Host Town Motel, Lancaster, Pa. R. J. Blazek, P. O. Box 621, Lancaster.
- 22 Stoneham Coin Club 4th Annual Convention. Stoneham Town Hall, Stoneham, Mass. Mat Tavares, P. O. Box 211, Stoneham.

CENTRAL

- July 8-9 Blanchard Valley Coin Club 6th Annual Coin Exhibition and Bourse. Findlay College Student Union, 1001 North Main Street, Findlay, Ohio, Lee J. Verbon, R. R. No. 5, Box 248, Findlay.
- 21-23 North East Ohio Coin Club 7th Annual Show. Pick-Carter Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio. Rose Engelman, 14015 Superior Road, Cleveland.
- 29-30 Bellefontaine Coin Club Central Buckeye Stamp and Coin Show. New Youth Center, Bellefontaine, Ohio. Samuel T. DeLong, 515 Brookwood Dr., Bellefontaine.
- 30 Westmont Coin Club 2nd Annual Show. V.F.W. Hall, Post 9267, Cass and Naperville Rd., Westmont, Ill., Westmont Coin Club, P. O. Box 44, Westmont.
- August 5-6 Missouri Numis. Society of St. Louis 8th Annual Festival. St. Louis Gateway Hotel, 822 Washington, St. Louis, Mo. Dave Cooper c/o the club, 19 Roclare Lane, St. Louis.
- 19 Iosco Coin Club 5th Annual Show and Bourse. Oscoda Township Hall, Oscoda, Mich. Walter F. Schotten, R. No. 1, Box 642, Oscoda.
- September 23-24 Iowa Numismatic Association State Convention. Savery Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa. Des Moines Coin Club, P. O. Box 57, Des Moines.
- 24 Fond du Lac Coin Club Annual Jamboree. Karl-Ray Lanes, 770 South Military Road, Fond du Lac, Wis. Edgar Waldschmidt, Rosendale.
- 24 Lincoln Coin Club of Wayne County, Mich. American Legion Hall, 1430 Southfield Road, Lincoln Park, Mich. Loueda Bill, 20 West Benson Street, Encorse.
- 24 South Bend Coin Club 13th Annual Show. Eagles Lodge, South Bend, Ind. Norman Merrich, P. O. Box 2553, South Bend.
- October 7-8 Tazewell Numismatic Society, Inc. 5th Annual Show. Elks Club, 335 Sabella St., Pekin, Ill. J. W. Beaver, P. O. Box 696, Pekin.
- 21-22 Indian Capital Coin Club. Severs Hotel, Muskogee, Okla. George L. King, 2611 Garland, Muskogee.

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- October 21-22 Ozarks Coin Club 3rd Annual Coin Show. Colonial Hotel, Springfield, Mo. David McGee, P. O. Box 703, Springfield.
- 22 East Central Minnesota Coin and Stamp Club 2nd Annual Show. Cassidy's Gold Pine Restaurant and Motel, Hinckley, Minn. Lyle Baker, Sandstone.
- 22 Royal Oak Coin Club Fall Show. American Legion Hall, 12 Mile Road and Rochester Road, Royal Oak, Mich. Leslie Durant, P. O. Box 800 College Park Station, Detroit.
- 28-29 Akron Coin Club Fall Show. Akron Tower Motor Inn, Akron, Ohio. Richard Taylor, Box 251, East Akron Station, Akron.
- 28-29 Dearborn Coin Club 7th Annual Coin-a-rama. Dearborn Youth Center, Michigan Avenue at Greenfield, Dearborn, Mich. Dearborn Coin Club, P. O. Box 2367, Dearborn.
- 28-29 Oak Park Coin Club 11th Annual Show. O'Hare Inn, Des Plaines, Ill. Ed Taylor, P. O. Box 214, Villa.
- 28-29 Toledo Coin Club Fall Show. Secor Hotel, Toledo, Ohio. Marjorie M. Moore, 2349 Portsmouth, Toledo.

SOUTH

- July 9-10 Mesquite Coin Club 4th Annual Show and Bourse. Town Hall, Big Town, Mesquite, Tex. G. E. Beck, 1424A S. Buckner Blvd., Dallas.
- 13-15 Alabama Numismatic Society 7th Annual Show and Convention. The Mall, North Memorial Parkway, Huntsville, Ala. Alabama Numismatic Society, P. O. Box 750, Huntsville.
- August 5-6 The Lake Charles Centennial Coin Show. Pearl Watson Jr. High School, 1223 5th St., Lake Charles, Louisiana. Marvin Self, 332 W. School St., Lake Charles.
- 8-12 American Numismatic Association 76th Anniversary Convention. Americana Hotel, Bal Harbour (Miami Beach), Fla. Sidney W. Smith, 2512 Biscayne Blvd., Miami.
- September 9-10 Beaumont Coin Club 8th Annual Show. Holiday Inn, Beaumont, Tex. T. G. Brown, 3555 Sleepy Lane, Beaumont.
- 15-17 Galveston County Coin Club 9th Jamboree. Holiday Inn, Texas City, Tex. GCCC, P. O. Box 2161, Texas City.
- October 7-8 Fort Worth Coin Club 6th Annual Show. Hotel Texas, Fort Worth, Tex. Alma Medley, 1809 Higgins Ln., Fort Worth.

WEST

- July 1-2 San Bernardino County Coin Club 4th Annual Show. National Orange Show Grounds Cafeteria Bldg., San Bernardino, Calif. Sylvia Novack, P. O. Box 729, San Bernardino.
- 1-3 Mid-Valley Coin Club Coinarama. Swept Wing Restaurant Banquet Room, Albany, Ore. Fred M. Quick, P. O. Box 765, Corvallis.
- 15-16 Adams County Coin Club 2nd Annual Show. Continental Denver Motor Hotel, Denver, Colorado. Ernie Larson, 1482 W. 100th, Denver.
- 15-16 Fresno Numismatic Society Central California Coinarama. Hotel Californian, Fresno, Calif. Herb Hord, 625 College, Fresno.
- August 17-19 Utah Numismatic Society, Inc. 4th Annual Show. Hotel Utah Motor Lodge, Salt Lake City, Utah. C. E. Crane, 1952 Wyoming St., Salt Lake City.
- September 9-10 Colorado Springs Coin Club 5th Annual Show. Holiday Inn, Colorado Springs, Colorado. Harvey Black, 1726 S. Nevada, Colorado Springs.
- 23-24 Copper City Coin Club 2nd Annual Coin Show. Masonic Temple, Butte, Mont., Oscar Olsgaard, C. K. Shandorf, 1403 Mt. Haggin Homes, Anaconda.

CANADA

- Aug. 31 Canadian Numis. Assn. 14th Annual Convention. Chateau Laurier Hotel, Ottawa, Ont., Canada.
- Sept. 2 Mrs. Earl C. Grandmaison, 551 Broadview Avenue, Ottawa.

In the Know!

"The American Numismatic Association has rendered a great service to the interesting and educational hobby of coin collecting. The association's fine efforts on behalf of the hobby are to be commended."

— Hubert H. Humphrey

— Excerpt from a letter to Master Randy Streeter, ANA J-58210, received on April 11, 1967, from the vice-president in support of the young numismatist's campaign for National Coin Week recognition.

Book Reviews

Informal, Informative

COIN COLUMNS by Lee Martin. 160 pages. Numerous illustrations. Paper covers. Clarke Printing. \$2.50.

Misinformation in the numismatic field is very frequently and justly laid at the feet of the newspaper reporter interested in "the story" without regard to the facts. This alone makes for interesting reading this series of 50 stories of U. S. coins written by a numismatist who goes out of the way to check up on the whys and wherefors.

Listed as author, lecturer, instructor, numismatist and professional photographer, it is assumed the author also provided the illustrations for his book, a job well done.

Excluding the commemorative series, Martin has covered every mint-struck coin, going into detail in such matters as overdates, coin engravers, mints and considerable background not readily available in the average coin book.

The average collector as well as many advanced numismatists interested in U. S. series or key coins of any denomination will find this book not only interesting reading but worthy of adding to his library for future reference particularly in preparing a talk on most any phase of numismatics for his coin club or providing information to set off a display. — C. S. YOWELL

One and Only!

CATALOGUE OF THE WORLD'S MOST POPULAR COINS by Fred Reinfeld. Revised by Burton Hobson. 288 pages. Illustrated. Board covers. Doubleday & Company. \$7.50.

If there be coin collectors who want one and only one book, this surely is it! Whereas most coin books — especially those showing prices — cover one country or geographic area, or a definite period of time, this one knows no area or time bounds. The alphabetic index of countries includes about 325 listings, from Aegina (600-450 B.C.) to Zwolle, with some coins dated as recently as 1966.

This revised edition of a popular coin catalog is composed of 288 pages, 6½ in.

by 10 in., attractively bound in cloth covered boards. It is profusely illustrated, although not all of the cuts are of the highest quality. Historical and coinage information about each issuing country precedes its section, and an up to date price is shown for each coin "in the condition in which the particular issue is usually encountered."

Obviously no book which attempts to cover world coinage from the inception of coins to the present can do so in detail. Yet this one gives a most creditable coverage of the important coins, making it a useful reference for the general collector and student in numismatics. It is available at \$7.50 from many coin dealers and book stores. — GLENN S.

A Little Bit of Erin

COIN CATALOGUE OF IRELAND, 1928-1966, by Derek Young. 28 pages. Illustrated. Stagecrest, Dublin. \$1.50.

Derek Young's catalogue is the first "workbook type" listing that I have seen that affords the collector ample space to record the data for each of his coins, i.e., grade, cost, from whom acquired, date and current valuation.

Covered in light green, the author recommends that the collector write his data in pencil in the catalogue allowing for erasures when acquiring new coins. The quality of the paper allows this.

Valuations for all coins from 1928 through 1966 are given in five conditions, from v.g. to unc., in dollars and in pounds sterling. Valuations are also given for proof specimens that are definitely known to exist. All type coins are illustrated.

The book is divided into three main sections: the "workbook" pages for the coinage of Irish Free State, 1928-37. A four page introduction is given in the first section; the "workbook" pages for coinage of the Republic of Ireland, 1939-66, with a one page introduction given in the second. No coins were issued in 1938.

A guide to coin valuations is presented in easily read tables for the third section. Valuations are conserva-

tive but realistic considering that the coin fever has not yet hit Ireland and, as yet, there is not too much interest in these coins outside the country.

Derek Young is to be congratulated on this catalogue, designed for both the layman and the expert. Because so much space is devoted to recording the data of the individual collector's specimens, this catalogue should do more than any other yet published to encourage the "man on the street" to collect the coins of Ireland. It is hoped that he especially in Ireland will form his collection before the country converts to the decimal system of coinage. — JERRY REMICK

Number Seven

A CATALOG OF MODERN WORLD COINS by R. S. Yeoman, seventh edition. 512 pages. Illustrated. Library binding. Whitman Publishing Co. \$5.00.

Whitman's "Brown Book" needs no introduction to most collectors of world coins yet this seventh edition has certain changes which are noteworthy. The greatly increased interest in foreign coin collecting certainly justifies revision of this standard reference, the last edition of which was issued in 1964. However, it still has the same number of pages of the same size, the same attractive and durable cover and binding (a new cover material) and the same high quality throughout.

As stated when *Current Coins of the World* was issued recently, new coins (those dated after 1964) are not being added to the "Brown Book." This change was necessary to avoid overcrowding or excessive size of the latter. Thus the publisher was able to rearrange this seventh edition, adding some significant new varieties and improving the layout of a number of pages. The quality of many illustrations was improved and extensive changes were made in the sections covering China and Guatemala.

It will be no surprise to collectors to find that many prices are quite different than those in the sixth edition. Notably the popular crown-size coins have advanced, for example: 1925-27 Albania 5 franka, \$85 to \$165; 1944 Belgian Congo 50 francs, \$10 to \$35; 1928 China "automobile dollar," \$40 to \$275; 1932 Germany "death of Goethe" 5 marks,

\$35 to \$115; 1894 German New Guinea "bird of paradise" 5 marks, \$60 to \$200; 1925 Guatemala quetzal, \$70 to \$400; 1898 Netherlands 2½ gulden (long one of my favorite coins) \$15 to \$45; 1935 New Zealand "Waitangi" crown, \$225 to \$700; and, to prove that some smaller coins advanced, the 1904 "Panama pill" (2½ centesimos) advanced from \$6 to \$10.

This important book is available from most coin dealers and from many book stores at the new price of \$5.00 — GLENN S.

Gold Displays

A STUDY OF POPULAR U. S. GOLD SETS by W. W. Turner. 32 pages. Paper cover. W. W. Turner. \$2.00.

This 8½ x 11-inch work on U. S. gold is divided into two parts, the first dealing with such subjects as "Approaches to Collecting," "The Dramatic Story of U. S. Gold," "The Fine Art of Becoming a Discriminating Collector" as well as other short discourses on the subject.

The second part of the book pictures and describes "U. S. Gold Sets with a Story to Tell." The illustrations are numerous and nicely handled and, as presented, should be of assistance to the gold collector looking for ideas either in the collecting or display field.

A page devoted to "The Economics of Collecting" should make this work of particular interest to the lover of the yellow metal. — C. S. YOWELL

So Small, So Big

A COMPREHENSIVE INDEX TO KING'S LINCOLN IN NUMISMATICS by Edgar Heyl. 18 pages. Papercover. Tokens and Medals Society. \$1.00.

Because King's treatise originally appeared as a series of three periodic articles in *The Numismatist* (Feb. 1924, April 1927 and Aug. 1933), it is not surprising that it lacked an index. Now, in book form, the full value of King's work can be realized and the need for an index was even greater.

The collector may now find it possible to look under a particular heading — souvenir pennies, encased cents, etc., to ascertain where there is a piece related to his interests. To this index has been added two lists of supplementary data. Not designed to serve as finding

lists per se, they were intended for the numismatic scholar whose field of interest is the study of the work of a particular sculptor or firm of die sinkers, or who might be concerned with the organization that issued particular pieces.

It may be a small booklet, but the indexing was a major undertaking. Designed to fit inside the covers of the TAMS reprint, *Lincoln In Numismatics*, it may be ordered direct from the Tokens and Medals Society, P. O. Box 96, Thiensville, Wis. 53092. Cost, again, \$1.00. — EH.

Library Report

Another step in the consolidation of personnel and service was completed on May 10, 1967, with the move of the library to Colorado Springs from Lincoln, Nebraska. The association is indebted to John Gabarron, librarian, and Bernie Gabarron, assistant to the librarian. For eleven years they have served in this capacity and have done an outstanding job in the development of this service to ANA members.

The ANA would like to thank the following for donations to the library: Kurt Prober, T. M. Murdock, Paul Kohler, Clark S. Yowell, American Numismatic Society, F. Doud Mohr, Mrs. Dorothy Gershenson, Novie O. Hudson, General Numismatics Corp., Whitman Publishing Company, A. H. Albert and Argonaut, Inc.

New listings:

- A-133 Albert, Alphaeus H. *Political Campaign and Commemorative Buttons*, 1966.
- F-81 *Feisel's Catalog of Parking Tokens*, 1966.
- F-82 *Numismatic Issues of the Frank-*

lin Mint, 1965-1966.

- H-156 Horton, S. Dana *The Silver Pound*, 1887.
- P-114 Prober, Kurt *Catalogo Das Moedas Brasiluras*, 1966.
- S-247b Shafer, Neil *A Guide Book of Modern United States Currency*. 2nd edition, 1967.
- S-282 *Catalog of the Coins in the Indian Museum — Calcutta*, Vol. I, II, III 1906, 1907, 1908.

The library is now supervised through this office and all mail should be addressed: Library, P. O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901. — Jack R. Koch, executive director.



ISRAEL-CANADA FRIENDSHIP TOKEN

A crown-sized nickel-silver friendship token has been produced by the Israel Government Coins and Medals Corporation in honor of the Centennial of Canada's Confederation. The obverse depicts a stylized maple leaf superimposed on the Star of David. In the center are the dates: 1867-1967 and an appropriate legend around the rim appears in English and French. The reverse shows a map of Canada beneath which is the quotation from Isaiah 9:6: "...and Peace Without End," inscribed in English, French and Hebrew. Israel is so far the only sovereign nation to honor Canada's centennial by the issue of a numismatic piece. It was designed by Oscar Harris of New York and struck for the Israeli government by the Franklin Mint. Production was set at 100,000 tokens.

Sid Says, "Pity the Poor Exhibits Committee!"

Sidney Smith, general chairman for the 1967 ANA convention in Miami, busy keeping the preparations for *THE* convention of the year on schedule took the time to sympathize with the co-chairman of the exhibits committee, Lou and Jean Montesi.



Sidney Smith
checking arrangements

Lou is known all over the United States as a highly competent professional numismatist (given to taking best of show wherever he exhibits) but even more important as a kind, pleasant, out-going sort of chap. It is fun to be around Lou and his very attractive wife, Jean.

Something has happened to Lou. Someone told me that he has been watching too many horror movies on TV late shows. However, this is not true. In an exclusive interview, Lou Montesi told Sid Smith: "It's those d— exhibits! I know we will have several hundred flooding in at the last minute. Why can't people get off their applica-

tions so that I can plan for them properly? There are no preferred positions . . . first come first settled. And this will be the biggest convention of all."

Lou has lost over twenty pounds just a-worrying about all you wonderful collectors who have something to be proud of. Sure, the 1913 nickel is going to be "on show" and up for sale. But that doesn't mean that there isn't something that you have that 10,000 people or more would give their right arms to see.

Here in Miami we are getting together in a concerted effort to "save Lou's hair." He is pulling it out by the fistfuls. Even if you aren't too proud of your magnificent collections, pity the poor exhibits chairman. And if you can't find it in your hearts to be kind to Lou, at least be kind to the 10,000 collectors from all over the world who will want to see what you have hidden in your coin cabinets.

Get your applications into the works right away . . . send it to: Lou Montesi, Exhibits, c/o Sidney Smith, 2510 Biscayne Blvd., Miami, Fla. 33137.



Lou and Jean Montesi
co-chairmen - exhibits



COMMEMORATIVE SERIES FOR SPACE MILESTONES

The first of a series issued by Spacecraft Medals Corp., Cocoa, Florida, commemorating the launch of GT-10 last year, has been released by the company. Thirty-nine millimeter in size and available in nickel-silver and silver-klad, the series will mark achievements in the Mercury, Gemini and Apollo programs. The GT-10 flight took place on July 18, 1966, and was manned by astronauts Young and Collins. The second in the series will be for GT-11 and Conrad-Gordon flight.

You Be The Judge

I was appointed head exhibit judge for the 1967 ANA Convention by Matt Rothert, ANA president. He also asked that I not only get competent judges for the 1967 convention but people who could serve at regional, state and city conventions as well.

I figured in order to fulfill this request I had to get at least 36 judges for each exhibit category as not too many of these judges could attend all conventions. My plan was to ask each society that covered one of the categories of exhibiting to send me the names of about 30 people whom they thought were qualified to judge in their chosen field. Since there are not enough so-

cieties to cover all the categories, I had to turn to individuals who agreed to help and did.

Now I turn to you and ask that "You Be The Judge." Ask that you read the list of names in each category below and if you feel that you qualify and your name is not on the list, that you send your name to me. This does not mean that you must be at the ANA Convention or any other convention but that you are qualified as a judge in one or more categories and will serve when you can. A board of regents will accept your name and you will be sent a certificate certifying to the fact that you are qualified to judge.

CLASS ONE - UNITED STATES COINS

Judges

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
Norman Bryant
Damon H. Williamson
Henry Grunthal
Curtis G. Bane
R. S. Yedman
Ronnie Carr
George Hatie
Ed Schuman

Jackson Storm
Julius Turoff
George Tott
William P. Rabun
Leroy D. Martin
Frank Howard
Conrad McNair
Leo Terry
Mr. Malcolm O. E. Chell Frost

Mr. B. M. Douglas
Mr. Maurice M. Gould
Jack Hazelwood
Jake B. Sureck
Dr. James Sloss
Kenneth W. Lee
Kenneth Bressett
John Dunn
Martin Brown

Experts

Eric P. Newman
John J. Pittman
Abe Kosoff

Maurice M. Gould
Walter Green

CLASS TWO - UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY

Judges

Thomas C. Bain
Vernon L. Brown
A. P. Bertshy
Amon Carter, Jr.
Ben M. Douglas
Maurice M. Gould

John T. Hickman
Frank H. Hutchins
Theodore Kemm
Julian S. Marks
J. Roy Pennel, Jr.
Wm. A. Philpott, Jr.

Thomas J. Settle
Julius Turoff
George W. Wait
Melvin Owen Warns
Harley L. Freeman
William T. Anton

Experts

William P. Donlon
Amon Carter, Jr.
Wm. A. Philpott, Jr.

Thomas J. Settle
Aaron Feldman

CLASS THREE – MEDALS, ORDERS AND DECORATIONS

Judges

James C. Risk	Sheldon S. Carroll	Charles V. Kappen
Max Humbert	Mrs. Thelma N. Case	Kenneth W. Lee
William Louth	Alva Christensen	Harry Lessin
Joseph Segal	J. M. Coffee	R. T. McNamara
Arnold Margolis	James Curto	Mrs. Doris Martin
Dr. Jack Litman	Don Decker	Donald M. Miller
George L. Podlusk	Dottie Dow	Edwin Quagliana
Mrs. Dorothy Beaulieu	Harley L. Freeman	John Reynolds
Jim Renton, Jr.	Paul Hamm	Arlie Slabaugh
Mrs. Irene Alexander	William M. Jacka	Nathan N. Eglit
Pauline D. Ney	Byron Johnson	Mrs. Virginia Culver

Experts

George Fuld	Mrs. Virginia Culver
Eric P. Newman	William Louth
John J. Ford	

CLASS FOUR – TOKENS

Judges

Max M. Schwartz	Sheldon S. Carroll	Charles V. Kappen
J. Doyle De Witt	Mrs. Thelma N. Case	Kenneth W. Lee
J. D. Ferguson	Alva Christensen	Harry Lessin
Raymond Gallo	J. M. Coffee	William T. Louth
O. K. Rumble	James Curto	R. T. McNamara
Ronald C. Atwood	Don Decker	Mrs. Doris Martin
Daniel D. Michael	Dottie Dow	Donald M. Miller
Mrs. Dorothy Beaulieu	Harley L. Freeman	Edwin Quagliana
Jim Benton, Jr.	Paul Hamm	John Reynolds
Mrs. Irene Alexander	William M. Jacka	Arlie Slabaugh
Pauline D. Ney	Byron Johnson	Nathan N. Eglit

Experts

Dr. George Fuld	Mrs. Virginia Culver
John J. Ford, Jr.	Melvin Fulds
Eric P. Newman	Max M. Schwartz

CLASS FIVE – OBSOLETE PAPER MONEY ISSUED IN THE UNITED STATES

Judges

Leonard Finn	J. Roy Pennell, Jr.	Robert C. Davis
Harley L. Freeman	Maurice M. Gould	G. G. Sawyer
Charles Affleck	George W. Wait	John Heflin
Vernon Brown	Herbert F. Jenne	C. J. Affleck
Ben M. Douglas	James R. Budd	L. A. Cook

Experts

Harley L. Freeman	Vernon Brown
Grover Criswell	

CLASS SIX — COINS PRIOR TO 1500 A.D.

Judges

James Ford Clapp, Jr.
Joel Malter
Harvey Hoffer
Henry Grunthal

George Hatie
Dr. J. H. Judd
Max N. Kuhner
Dr. J. Wilkinson
Chris Blom

Charles McSorley
Edward P. Hartmann
Mark Davison
Dr. B. Matzilevich

Experts

Henry Grunthal
Dr. J. H. Judd
F. Knobloch

George Weyr
Hans F. Schulman

CLASS SEVEN — FOREIGN COINS AFTER 1500 A.D.

Judges

Bruce MacDougall
John Kittredge
Earl Tuttle
Jim Betton
George Dunay
George Hatie
Max N. Kuhner
Richard Margolis
P. Palmentier
Dr. J. Wilkinson

R. S. Yeoman
Jackson Bennett
George Todd
Tom Blasingame
Flynn Hudson
Robert Berman
William D. Craig
Dr. Kenneth Gaver
Dr. John S. Davenport
John W. Dunn

William A. Petit
Neil Shafer
Arlie R. Slabaugh
Lewis J. Upton
Holland Wallace
Robert C. Willey
Randolph Zander
Mr. Jack Friedberg
Kenn Henderson
Henry Grunthal

Experts

Henry Grunthal
Arlie R. Slabaugh

Dr. John S. Davenport
Hans F. Schulman

CLASS EIGHT — FOREIGN PAPER MONEY

Judges

Charles G. Altz
George E. Broughton
Albert I. Donn
Herbert F. Jenne
Dr. Walter M. Loeb

Art Lovi
J. Roy Pennell, Jr.
Peter G. Robin
Alexander J. Sullivan
George E. Tillson

Dwight L. Musser
Jerome H. Remick
S. J. Sexner
Neil Shafer
John A. Shaffer

Experts

Dr. Walter M. Loeb
Dwight L. Musser
J. Roy Pennell, Jr.

CLASS NINE — ALL GOLD COINS

Judges

William P. Rabun
J. Roy Pennell
Dr. Conway Bolt

L. A. Cook
Vernon Brown

Henry Grunthal
E. B. Benedict
Dr. Z. J. Wilkison

Experts

Henry Grunthal
Dr. Conway Bolt

Vernon Brown
John Pittman

CLASS TEN – LATIN AMERICA

Judges

Vernon Brown
Henry Christensen
Richard Margolis
Larry Morton
Bradford Babbitt

Theodore V. Buttrey, Jr.
Mortimer Hammel
Robert I. Nesmith
Manuel Romero de Terreros

Tom Hamilton
Jackson Bennett
Mrs. Erma Stephens
Federico Claveria
Clyde Hubbard

Experts

Henry Christensen

John Pittman

CLASS ELEVEN – CANADIAN COINS AND CURRENCY

Judges

Mrs. Winifred Mather
Sheldon Carroll
John Curtis
Vincent Greene
Jack Griffin
Ronald Greene
Dr. J. S. Wilkinson
Robert C. Willey
William English

Eddy Echenberg
Albert Peddie
Kenneth Palmer
Fredrick Jennett
Harold Allen
Jack Lupovich, Jr.
John Miner
Fred Bowman

Roger Boulais
Leslie Hill
John S. Newman
Charles Ricard
Cecil Tannahill
Victor Snell
Mackay Clements
Mittchel MacDonald
J. D. Ferguson

Experts

James E. Charlton
Charles F. Martin
William F. Lavelle
Saul Hendler

Fred Samuels
Harold Shaer
John Pittman

CLASS TWELVE – GENERAL OR SPECIALIZED

Judges

John J. Pittman
Maurice Gould
Eric P. Newman

L. A. Cook
Vernon Brown

Art Lovi
Leo Terry
Arlie R. Slabaugh

Experts

John J. Pittman
Maurice Gould

Eric P. Newman
Vernon Brown

GROUP C – JUNIOR

Judges

John J. Pittman
Maurice Gould
Eric P. Newman

L. A. Cook
Vernon Brown

Art Lovi
Leo Terry
Arlie R. Slabaugh

Experts

John J. Pittman
Maurice Gould
Eric P. Newman
Vernon Brown

John J. Ford, Jr.
Henry Grunthal
Art Lovi

This is only the first draft. I've a long way to go. If you will notice I tried to avoid using dealers and certain other people who would not have the time to judge

but called them experts to be called upon by the judges in case a decision had to be reached.

All that I ask is your name and category, it's that simple. Do it now.

Your suggestions and comments are invited. Don't delay, write today. — Art Lovi, 307 South Palafox St., Pensacola, Fla. 32501.

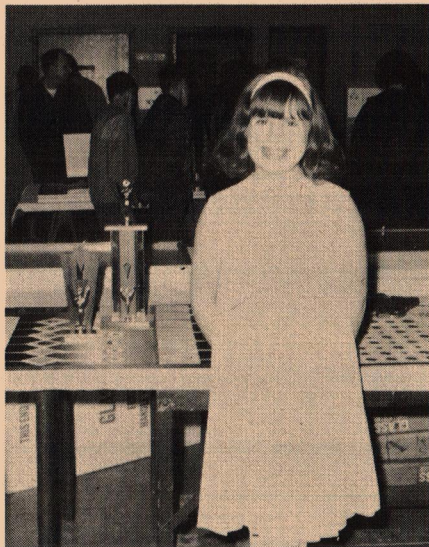
For the Junior

"Leonora Dickson, 11 years old, a collector for about two years, is already a member of three coin clubs: Whiting-Robertsdale; Highland, Indiana; and the American Numismatic Association. She is interested in all types of U. S. coins and she has won two trophies recently when she was given an exhibitor's award at the Highland show and the best-of-show award at the Whiting-Robertsdale exhibit." So wrote Fay C. Smith in his syndicated coin column.

Little Miss Dickson is attaining some recognition for her numismatic endeavors. The young ambassadress of good will for coin collecting recently won plaudits for her National Coin Week displays, too. Supporting the theme, Numismatics — Portraits of History, the young lady held a one-girl coin show at the Hegewisch Methodist Church and gave a talk explaining her display of coins, medals, tokens and stamps.

Father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dickson of Chicago, served the refreshments for her show. Both are collectors, too. The interest in coin collecting is a family project. Young Miss Dickson is not, however, exhibiting her parents' coins. This is her own collection and she knows the story behind each issue in her display.

Her "one-girl" show was formally announced in the church bulletin and received a great deal of publicity in the



Miss Leonora poses with her display and trophies won at the recent Valparaiso, Indiana coin show, held during NCW.

local papers. Special invitations were also sent area collectors and these notices pointed out that the show was part of her National Coin Week efforts. Efforts which incidentally earned Miss Dickson a third place in the individual junior competition.

QUESTION: How many dealers own . . . and have studied . . . Dieffenbacher's "Counterfeit Gold Coins" or "Counterfeit, Mis-struck, And Unofficial U. S. Coins" by Don Taxay?

There are bigger things than money. Bills, for instance. — Zion-Benton (Ill.) News

FINAL ANA NOMINATIONS REPORT

The following nominations for ANA officers, for the 1967-69 term, have been received. Nominations are now closed and only nominees who have accepted their nominations are listed below.

Nominations are not votes. Election is by mail ballot only and official ballots will be sent to all members in good standing about June 24. Ballots must be returned by mail, in the manner indicated on the ballot, and received by the tabulating firm prior to July 10, 1967. They may not be delivered in person or to the convention.

All candidates who submitted biographical sketches prior to April 25 were covered in the June edition to assist members in mailing their selections. The numbers below the candidate refer to the nominators identified at the end of this report, and in previous issues of *The Numismatist*.

FOR PRESIDENT AND MEMBER OF THE BOARD

Arthur Sipe.....4021 Bonsall Avenue, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania 19026
1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 39, 50, 52, 54, 70, 75, 78, 80, 84, 88, 94, 95, 100,
102, 107, 123, 129, 138, 140, 165, 172, 193, 206, 208, 210, 211, 212, 213, 217, 219,
223, 224, 228, 229, 234, 236, 238, 245, 250, 251, 252, 263, 266, 271, 273, 274, 285,
292, 301, 302, 309, 311, 314, 321, 322, 324, 327, 330, 336, 339, 340, 345, 352, 353,
363, 364, 368, 372, 375, 377, 379, 383, 391, 392, 393, 397, 400, 401, 407, 412, 414,
415
113 Personal Nominations

FOR FIRST VICE PRESIDENT AND MEMBER OF THE BOARD

Herbert M. Bergen.....604 N. Harbor Boulevard, Fullerton, California 92632
1, 2, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 52, 54, 74, 84, 85, 88, 94, 95, 100, 102, 105, 107, 123, 129,
138, 140, 145, 165, 170, 171, 172, 181, 188, 193, 206, 208, 211, 212, 217, 219, 223,
224, 228, 234, 236, 238, 245, 263, 266, 274, 282, 292, 302, 309, 310, 324, 327, 330,
345, 352, 354, 356, 363, 364, 368, 372, 377, 379, 396, 397, 401, 407, 412, 415
79 Personal Nominations

Harry X Boosel.....P. O. Box 132, Northtown Station, Chicago, Illinois 60645
213, 365, 375, 414
37 Personal Nominations

FOR SECOND VICE PRESIDENT AND MEMBER OF THE BOARD

Phil More.....1705 Monroe Street, Evanston, Illinois 60202
4, 5, 21, 31, 34, 36, 54, 55, 61, 95, 96, 97, 99, 101, 112, 131, 141, 142, 148, 161,
167, 175, 178, 191, 193, 213, 232, 236, 242, 251, 278, 287, 289, 291, 295, 296, 298,
300, 301, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 311, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 325, 326, 334, 335,
336, 338, 339, 343, 344, 346, 349, 351, 356, 359, 365, 374, 383, 387, 388, 390, 391,
395, 401, 406, 408, 414, 415
106 Personal Nominations

Don Sherer.....3520 North 7th Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85014
1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 11, 52, 84, 94, 100, 102, 105, 116, 120, 129, 150, 164, 165, 170, 172,
181, 188, 208, 212, 217, 219, 223, 228, 238, 260, 266, 274, 282, 283, 310, 315, 327,
330, 345, 350, 352, 363, 364, 368, 372, 379, 397, 407, 412
108 Personal Nominations

Leo G. Terry.....335 South Dearborn, Indianapolis, Indiana 46201
111, 206, 230, 258, 292
3 Personal Nominations

Important Notice

Please note the following changes from those previously noted in Call For Nominations of Officers and from the monthly Nomination Reports. Ballots will be mailed to the members on or before June 24, 1967 and must be returned and postmarked on or before July 10, 1967. These date changes were approved by the board of governors at the February interim meeting in Colorado Springs. Copies of the current revised bylaws are available to any member writing and requesting the same.

FOR THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS – Six to be elected

- Jackson Bennett.....220 Burnett St., Athens, Georgia 30601
8, 67, 68, 129, 212, 236, 263, 356, 404, 409
9 Personal Nominations
- Harold H. Berk.....148 Main Ave., S.W., Warren, Ohio 44481
42, 127, 140, 222, 224, 225, 305, 356, 379, 392, 393, 394
11 Personal Nominations
- William C. Birr.....420 Ololu Drive, Winter Park, Florida 32789
362
3 Personal Nominations
- Virginia Bronson.....P. O. Box 241, Grandview, Missouri 64030
34, 41, 96, 97, 150, 167, 182, 191, 237, 248, 264, 278, 297, 312, 342, 348, 370, 371,
373, 375, 376, 387, 395, 398, 399, 402, 403, 405, 411
22 Personal Nominations
- Ray Byrne.....701 N. Negley Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15206
3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33,
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youngsters had better find one by about 1988.

■ Upon the coronation of a king of England, who gains most — the king or the people? The people, of course, because they get a "sovereign," while the king gets only a "crown." (Thanks, P.M.D.)

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ANA 4816

Paul E. Olson, immediate past secretary of the Central States Numismatic Society, died suddenly on January 11, 1967, at his Minneapolis home. He was 72. A lifelong bachelor, little is known of his early life. After joining ANA in 1935, Olson became one of the first members of CSNS, joining that group in the first year of its existence, 1939.

Olson served in every office of the Northwest Coin Club, including two terms as president. He also served as first vice president, governor and secretary-treasurer of the CSNS. In 1961, he chaired that society's annual convention. In the late 1950s Olson saw the need for a state organization and is credited with being a founder of the Minnesota Organization of Numismatists (MOON).

Prior to his retirement Olson was employed by the Twin Cities office of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, but his first loves were ancient coins

and numismatic activities. He is survived by a sister, Alice, with whom he lived. — HBE/RWF.

Will W. Neil

ANA 2984

Will W. Neil of Abilene, Kansas, passed away May 3, 1967, at the age of 72. He was a druggist in Abilene for many years. He was a member of the Methodist Church and various Masonic orders. Neil joined the ANA in 1926 and was an active member all during his lifetime and a contributor to the ANA building fund.

In 1947 his "Complete Collection of U. S. Silver Coins" was sold at auction by B. Max Mehl. Such items as a 1913 Liberty head nickel, an 1804 silver dollar, a four piece set of four dollar gold, and other items were among the many numismatic gems. An auction catalogue issued at that time still serves as informational background for various coins. — PFH.

Director's Report

Applications C-58773 through R-58938 as published in the May issue have been admitted to membership.

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295 New	.. 275.00	317 New	.. 225.00	334 E.F.	.. 295.00
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338	1840 XF	70.00
339	1841 VF	58.00
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347	1844-O XF	69.00
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362	1852 XF	42.00
363	1852-O VF	115.00
364	1853 VF	37.00
365	1853-O XF	90.00
366	1854-S VF	44.00
367	1855 AU	64.00
368	1856 AXF	47.00
369	1857-O VF	290.00
370	1858-O AXF	125.00
371	1859 scratched	
	VF	120.00
372	1864 XF	400.00
373	1866 With	
	Motto XF	335.00
374	1868 VF	120.00
375	1869 AU	440.00
376	1874 AXF	64.00
377	1876-S XF	290.00
378	1877 XF	1350.00
378A	1879-CC AVF	800.00
379	1881 XF	42.00
380	1882-O XF	98.00
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382	1887 VF	53.00
383	1888-O Pf-like	
	XF	98.00
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385	1891 XF	44.00

Number

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387	1892 VF	39.00
388	1892-O XF	66.00
389	1893-O XF	69.00
390	1894-O XF	49.00
391	1895-O XF	53.00
392	1897 VF	38.00
393	1899 VF	38.00
394	1899-O XF	60.00
395	1901 AU	42.00
396	1901-S AXF	40.00
397	1901-O XF	48.00
398	1902 XF	45.00
399	1903 XF	39.00
400	1903-O AU	43.00
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402	1906-D AU	39.00
403	1907 St. Gaudens	
	XF	44.00
404	1908-D No	
	Motto XF	115.00
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37a	Very Fine	40.00
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42	Abt. Unc. crisp	200.00
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47	Crisp Unc.	85.00
48	Crisp Unc.	110.00
50	AU 42.50; Crisp Unc.	60.00
52	AU 42.50; Crisp Unc.	60.00
52	Very Fine	28.50
55	About Unc.	100.00
56	Crisp Unc.	72.50
57	Crisp Unc.	27.50
58	Crisp Unc.	27.50
60	Crisp Unc.	25.00

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87	Crisp Unc.	25.00
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103	Crisp Unc.	115.00
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107	Ex. Fine	110.00
108	Ex. F. 77.00; About Unc.	95.00
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113	Abt. Unc. 90.00; Crisp Unc.	105.00
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120	About Unc.	67.50
121	About Unc.	62.50
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123	Very Fine	140.00
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128	Crisp Unc.	300.00
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237	Crisp Unc.	14.00
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239	Crisp Unc.	40.00

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244	Crisp Unc.	160.00
246	Crisp Unc.	250.00
247	About Unc. Choice	200.00
248	About Unc. Choice	200.00
249	About Unc.	35.00
249	V. F. 20.00; Ex. F.	25.00
250	Crisp Unc.	52.50
251	Crisp Unc.	40.00
252	Crisp Unc.	40.00
253	Crisp Unc.	40.00
255	Very Fine	18.00

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270	Fine/V. Fine	97.50
270	Unc. with slight fold	330.00
271	Crisp Unc.	70.00
282	About Unc.	95.00
298	About Unc.	120.00
300	Crisp Unc., with pin hole	160.00
319	Ex. Fine	140.00
320	Crisp Unc.	215.00
321	Crisp Unc.	250.00
321	Very Fine	100.00
335	Ex. Fine	57.00

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351	Crisp Unc.	70.00
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357	Crisp Unc.	200.00
357	About Unc.	150.00
359	About Unc. crisp	300.00
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364	Crisp Unc.	175.00
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371	Crisp About Unc.	175.00

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401	Ex. F./AU	135.00
416	Ex. Fine	125.00
431	Ex. Fine	300.00
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472	About Unc.	55.00
480	Crisp Unc.	85.00
481	About Unc.	110.00
482	About Unc.	55.00
485	About Unc.	70.00
490	About Unc.	70.00
508	Crisp About Unc.	340.00
537	About Unc.	85.00
540	Ex. Fine	60.00
545	Very Fine	52.50
552	About Unc.	130.00
577	About Unc. crisp	150.00
561	Very Fine	275.00
613	Ex. Fine	30.00
621	About Unc.	30.00
621	Very Fine	50.00
624	Crisp Unc.	30.00
625	Crisp Unc.	30.00
628	About Unc.	27.50
629	About Unc.	90.00
629	Ex. Fine	75.00
647	Fine/V. Fine	60.00
648	Fine/V. Fine	75.00
650	Very Fine	37.50
654	About Unc.	50.00
658	Very Fine	37.50
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721	Ex. Fine	25.00
722	About Unc.	39.00
730	Crisp Unc.	62.00
733	Crisp Unc.	65.00
736	Ex. F. 70.00; About Unc.	110.00
736	Crisp Unc.	125.00
739	Crisp Unc.	37.50
740	VF 22.00; Ex. Fine	28.50
743	Ex. F. 30.00; Abt. Unc.	42.50
746	Crisp Unc.	47.50
747	About Unc.	55.00
753	Crisp Unc.	63.00
757	Crisp Unc.	84.00

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761	Ex. Fine	65.00
765	About Unc.	55.00
767	Crisp Unc.	59.00
768	Very Fine	75.00
771	Crisp AU, pin hole	110.00
776	Ex. Fine	80.00
780	Very Fine	67.50
782	Ex. Fine	52.50
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971	Very Fine	25.00
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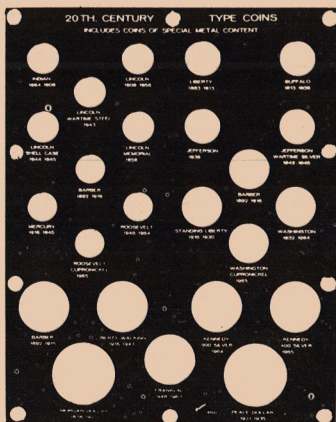
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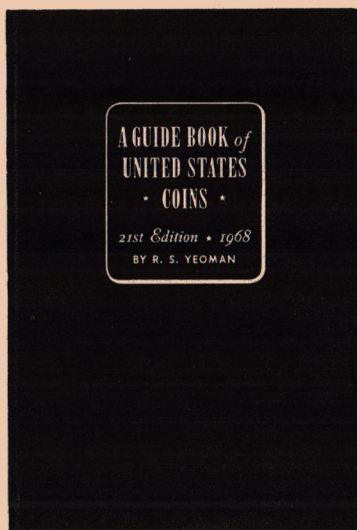


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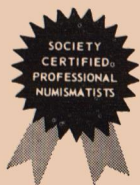
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1909-S v.d.b. vg+	130.00
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1911-D ch. bu	27.50
1911-S ch. bu	40.00
1912-S ch. bu	37.50
1913-S ch. bu	35.00
1914-D vf	75.00
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1867 proof	95.00
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proof	95.00
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proof	125.00
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proof	130.00
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1874 proof	70.00
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1879 ch. proof	55.00
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1853 bu	32.50
1859 bu	37.50
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1861 bu	39.50
1862 ch. bu	45.00

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ch. proof	52.50
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1796	f nice	1495.00
1805	vg	67.50
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1838	bu	85.00
	ch. bu	95.00
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1847	bu	47.50
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1917	..	.07	.09
1918	..	.08	.08
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1921	.03	..	.22
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1930	..	.02	.03
1931	.03	1.50	17.50
1932	.40	.22	..
1933	.15	.85	..
1934	..	.03	..
1935	..	.02	.02
1936	..	.02	.02
1937	..	.02	.02
1938	..	.09	.10
1939	..	.20	.02
1943	..	.05	.05
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1954	.04	..	..
1955	..	..	.18
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Seated Dimes, each	1.10	1.75	4.00	7.50	15.00
Barber Dimes, each		.75	2.50	6.00	11.00
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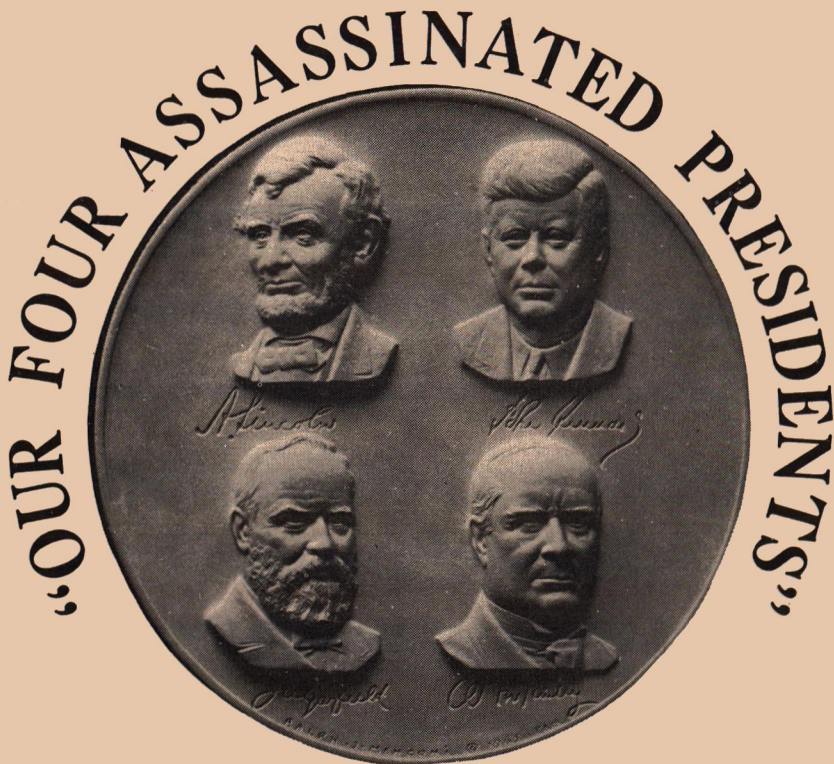
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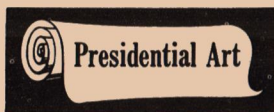


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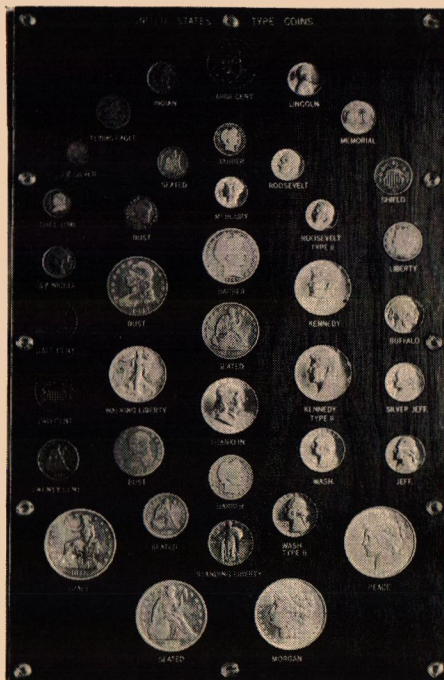
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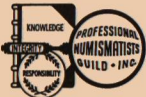
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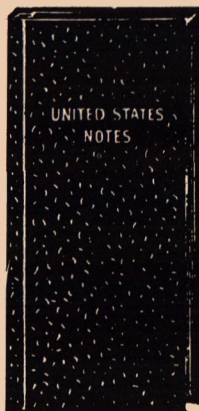
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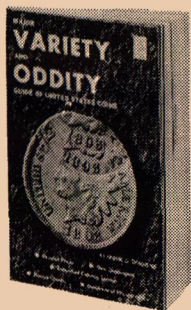
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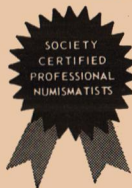
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